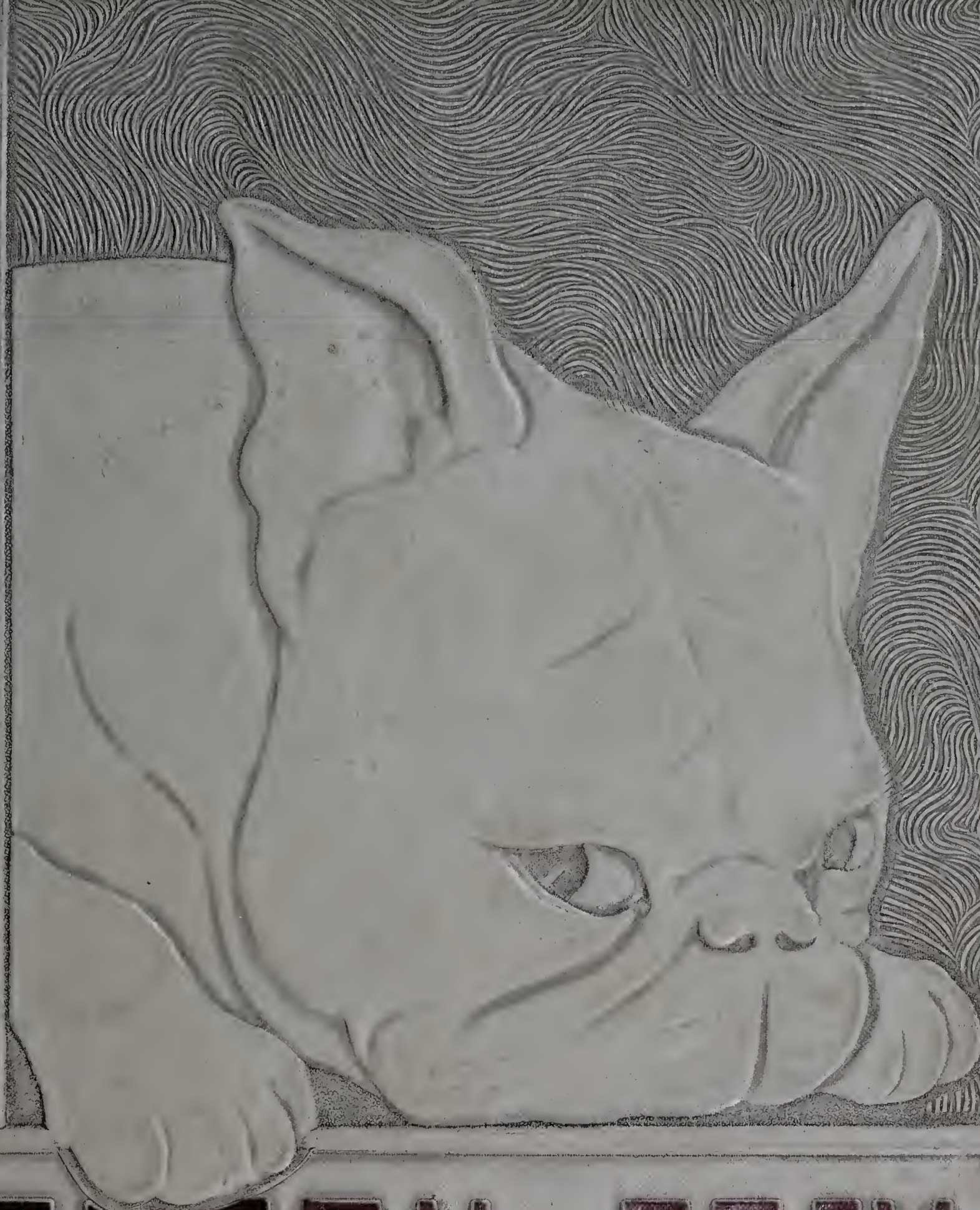


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Mr. Briggs has ably assisted not only the boys who are in his agricultural classes, but also anyone who, in need of help, went to him for aid. He has played a large part in developing the harmony with which students at Franklin High School work. Mr. Briggs' overflowing personality has caused him to become a friend to all who know him.

With deserved admiration for his work as friend and teacher, we, the Senior Class, dedicate this 1954 edition of "Maroon And Grey" to

MR. S. T. BRIGGS.



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Mr. Folger



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Mr. Briggs

Thanks a million
for assuming
much of my work.

James H. Briggs

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C. W. Faulkner	Vice-President

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LINDA COE
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SENIORS

CHRISTINE ANGEL

F.H.A. 1; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3; Glee Club 2, 4; Fashion Show 1, 2; Rhythm Club 4; Physical Education 1; Most Talented.

HAMPTON BEAMER

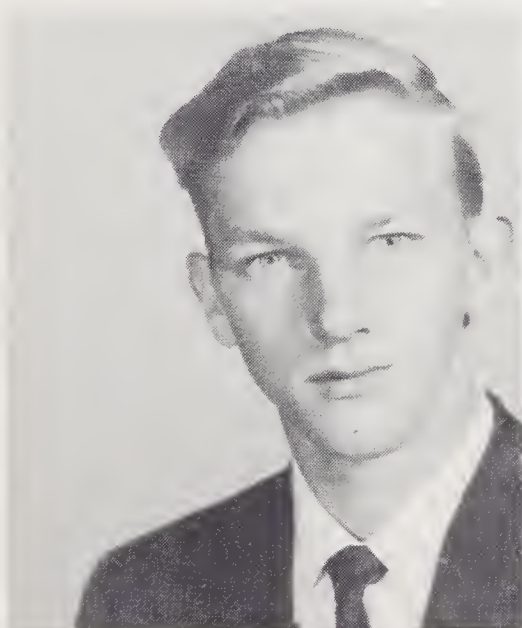
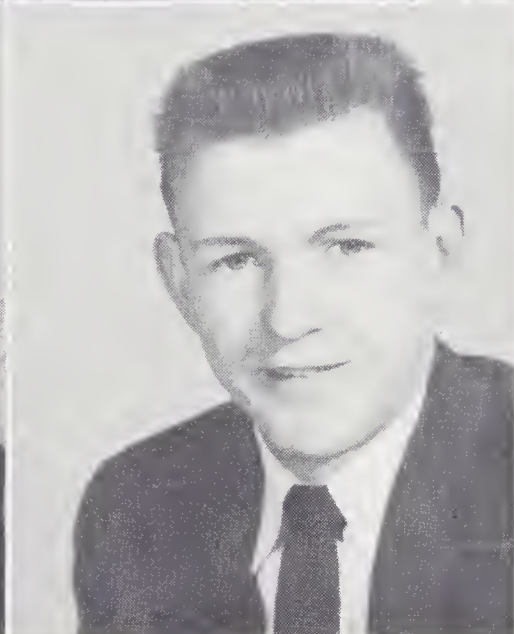
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DOT BEASLEY

4-H Club 1; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; J. V. Basketball 1; Varsity Basketball 2, 3, 4; Fashion Show 1, 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; Library Club 4; Dramatics 2, 3; Honor Society 3, 4; Monogram Club Officer 4; Library Club Officer 4; Paper Staff 4; Annual Staff 4; Honor Student 2; Chairman Activity Committee 4; Softball 2, 3, 4; Class Comedian.

ROY BEASLEY

Junior Varsity Basketball 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; Happiest.



WILBURN BLACKBURN

F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Bus Driver 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; Student Government 3; Most Attractive.

MARY LOU BOWMAN

F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Fashion Show 1, 2; Physical Education 1; Marshal 3; F.H.A. Officer 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 4; Paper Staff 4; Most Popular.



JOE BUNKER

F.F.A. 1, 2; Dramatics 4; Neatest.

JACKIE COE

Varsity Basketball 3, 4; Dramatics 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 4; Track 1; Rhythm Club 1; Monogram Club 1; Paper Staff 3; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3; Home Coming Queen 3; Halloween Queen 4; J. V. Basketball 2; Cutest.

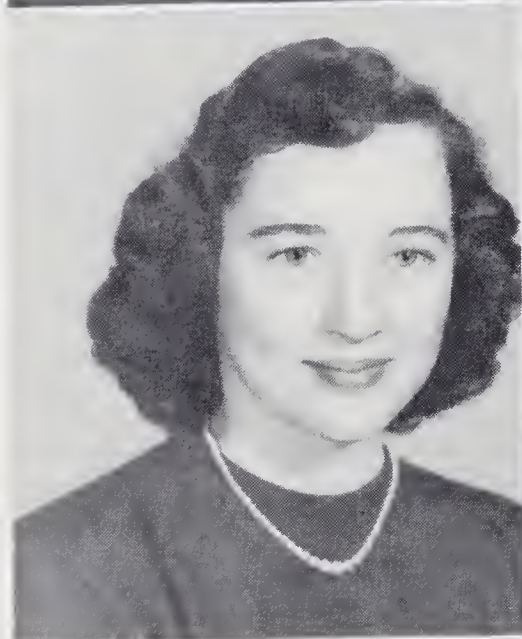
SENIORS



ERNESTINE COLLINS
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2; 4-H Club 1, 2; Rhythm Club 4; Fashion Show 1, 2; J. V. Basketball 1; Paper Staff 4; Quietest.



ELSIE HODGES DAVENPORT
Class Officer, President 1, Secretary 3, Co-Treasurer 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 3, 4, Treasurer 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4, Reporter 3; 4-H Club 1, 2; Dramatics 2, 3; J. V. Basketball 1; Fashion Show 1, 2; Annual Staff 3, 4; Paper Staff 3, 4; Public Speaking 4; Student Council 3; Marshal 3; Honor Student 1, 2, 3, 4; Best Personality.



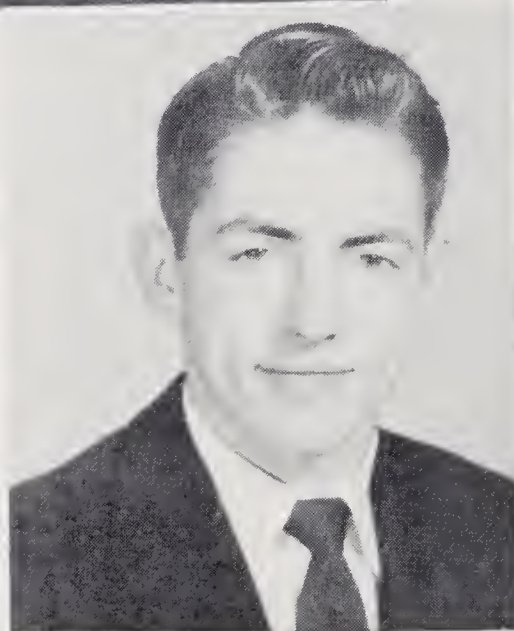
SHIRLEY DRAUGHN
Dramatics 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 2, 3, 4; Rhythm Club Treasurer 4; Annual Staff Assistant Editor 3, Co-Editor-in-Chief 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, Officer 1, 2, 3; Monogram 4; Fashion Show 1, 2; Track 1, 3, 4; Marshal 3; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Most Likely To Succeed.



MILDRED EASTER
Glee Club 1, 2, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Fashion Show 1, 2; 4-H Club 1, 2; Rhythm Club 4; Physical Education 1; Paper Staff 4; Happiest.

C. W. FAULKNER
Honor Society 3, 4, President 4; Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Football 3, 4, Captain 4; Track 3, 4; Annual Staff Co-Editor-in-Chief 4; Monogram Club 4; Class Vice-President 4; Dramatics 3, 4; Marshal 3; Student Government 3; Most Likely To Succeed.

WANDA FRANCE
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; J. V. Basketball 1; Fashion Show 1, 2; Rhythm Club 4; Paper Staff 4; Most Bashful.



DON FRYE
Honor Society 3, 4, Vice-President 4; Dramatics 2, 3, 4; J. V. Basketball 1; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 4; Rhythm Club 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Basketball Manager 1; Football Manager 4; Monogram Club President 4; F. F. A. 1, 2; Student Council 2; Marshal 3; Most Studious.

MABEL GRAVLEY
Basketball 1; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Fashion Show 1, 2; Rhythm Club 4; Paper Staff 4; Best Dressed.



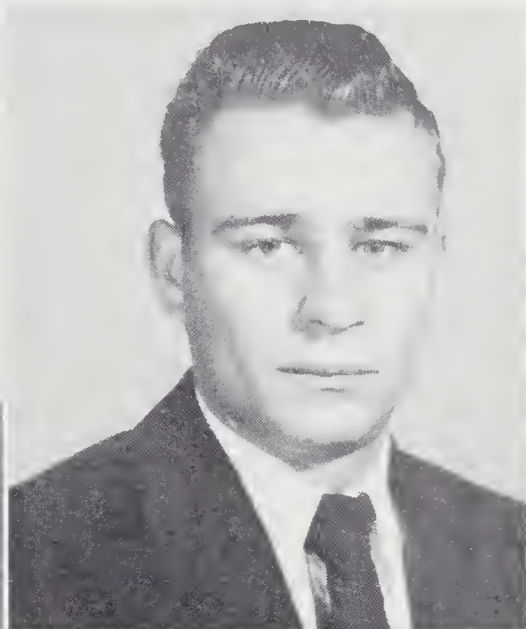
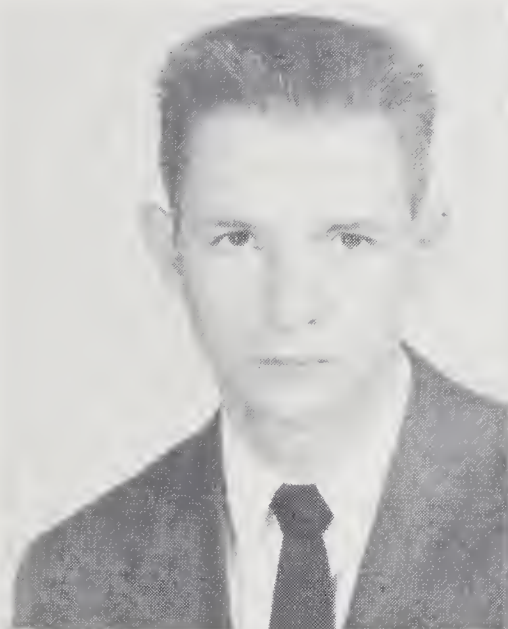
SENIORS

BOBBY GUNTER

F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; J. V. Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 3; Bus Driver 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; Friendliest.

MAC GWYN

Rhythm Club 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 3; Baseball 3; Basketball 1; Most Dependable.

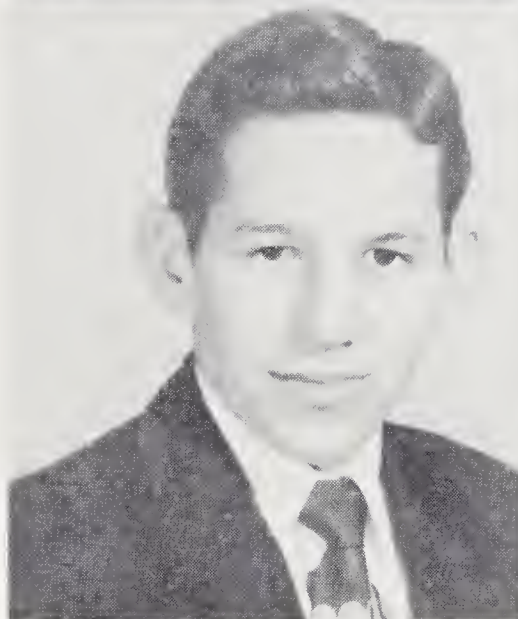


DAVID HALL

Physical Education 1, 2, 3, 4; F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; Football 4; Class Comedian.

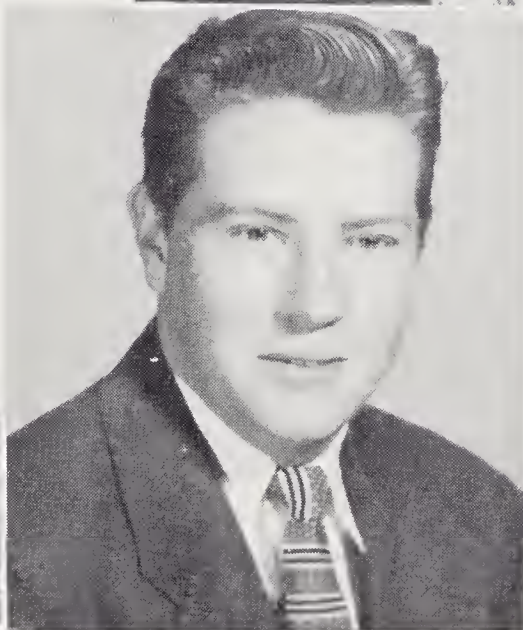
PATRICIA HALL

Class Officer 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2; Honor Society 4; J. V. Basketball 1; Cheerleader 1, 2, 3, 4; Paper Staff 3, 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; Monogram Club 4; Most Attractive.



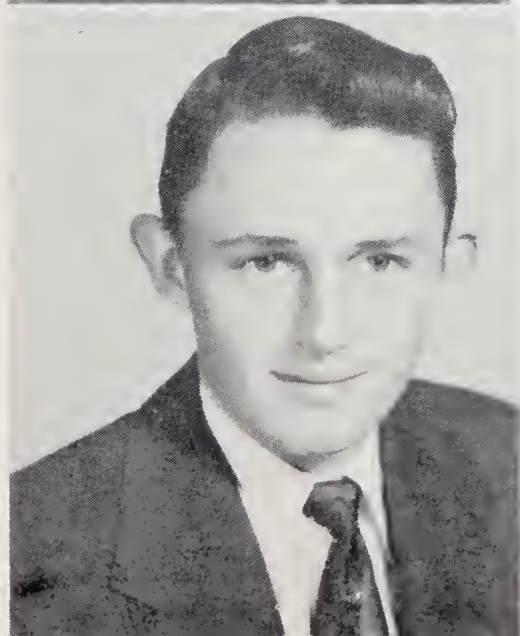
OKLAS HAROLD

Baseball 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; 4-H Club 1; Cutest.



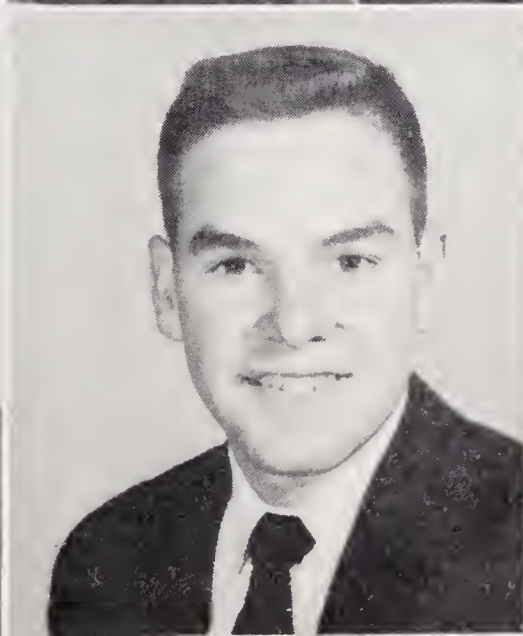
DON HARRELL

4-H Club 1, 2, 3; F. F. A. 2, 3; Dramatics 2; J. V. Basketball 1, 2; Varsity Basketball 3; Rhythm Club 4; Most Original.



LEROY HAWKS

Rhythm Club 4; Football 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; J. V. Basketball 2; Most Dignified.



MAX HIATT

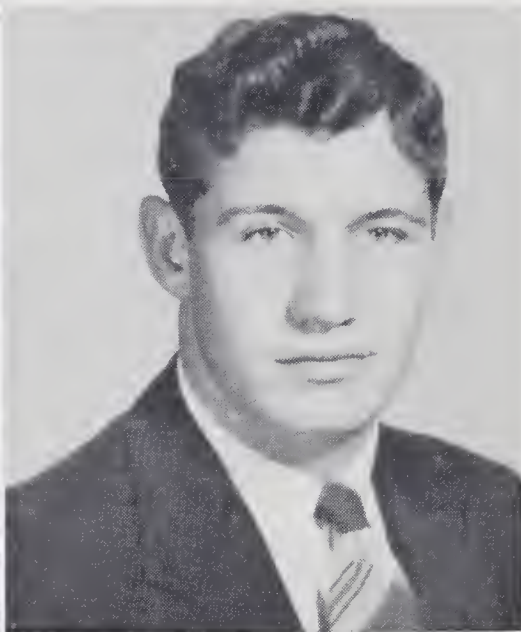
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SENIORS



JOYCE HILL

F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; Fashion Show 1; Activity Committee 4; Marshal 3; Honor Society 3, 4; Dramatics 3; Most Studious.



BOBBY HODGES

F.F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4, Captain 4; Track Team 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; Rhythm Officer 4; Best Personality.



JEWELL HOLDER

F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; J. V. Basketball 1; Dramatics 3; Honor Society 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3; Varsity Basketball 2; Most Contented.

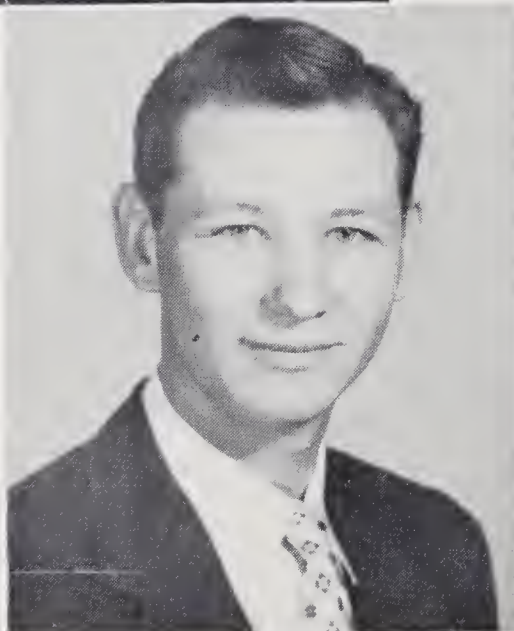


NANCY HOOKER

F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 4; Dramatics 2, 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; Annual Staff 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 4; Softball 2, 3, 4; Paper Staff 3, 4; Monogram Club Officer 4; Fashion Show 1, 2; Most Cooperative.

WOODROW JACKSON
Rhythm Club 4; Most Tactful.

PAT JONES
J. V. Basketball 1; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 2; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Society 4; Monogram Club 4; Class Officer 3; F.H.A. Officer 3; Paper Staff 3; Marshal 3; Most Likeable.



ROLAND JONES
Rhythm Club 4; Best Dressed.



SARAH JONES
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1; Fashion Show 2, 3; National Honor Society 3, 4; F. H. A. Officer 4; Class Officer 2, 4; Physical Education 1; School Paper Staff 4; Most Dependable.



SENIORS

VANCE KING

Class President 1, 3, 4; Class Vice-President 2; F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2; F. F. A. Officer 1, 3; Student Council 2; Student Government Officer 2, 3; Basketball Captain 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 3; Rhythm Club 4; Dramatics 1, 2, 3; Monogram Club 4; 4-H Club 1; Field Day 1, 2, 3, 4; Best All Around.

JILL LAUGHRIDGE

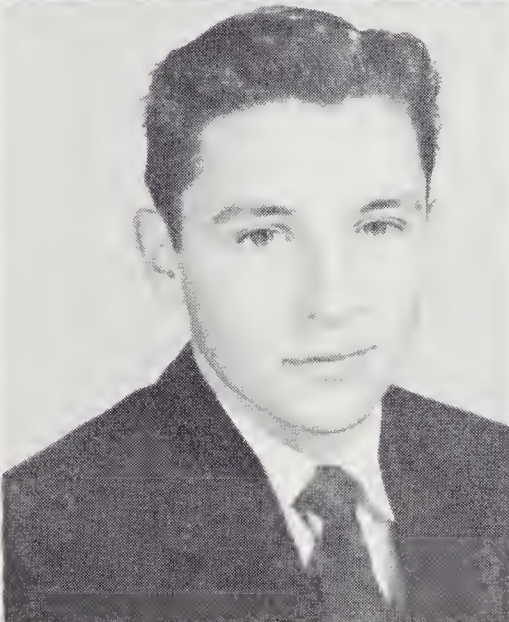
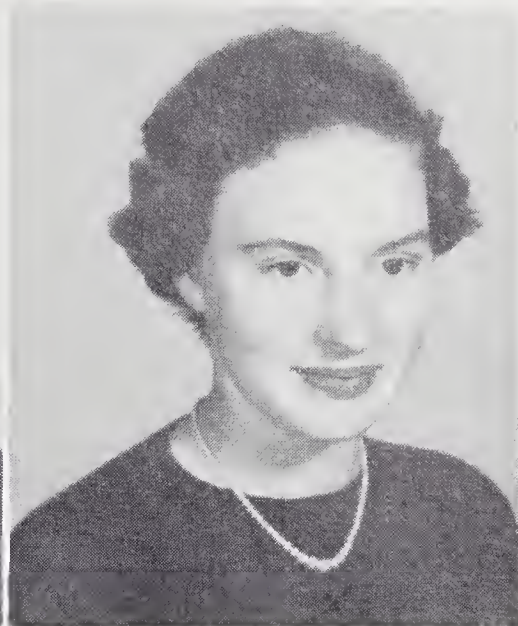
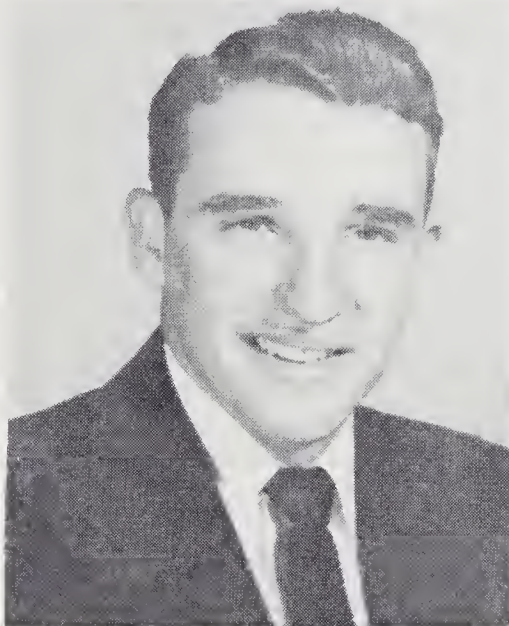
Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 3; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Officer 2, 3; Dramatics 2, 3, 4; Softball 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Monogram Club 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; Honor Society 3, 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Paper Staff 2; 4-H 1, 2, 3; Officer 2, 3; Marshal 3; Honor Student 1, 2, 3, 4; Fashion Show 1, 2; Most Athletic.

WADE MACEY

Glee Club 1; 4-H Club 1, 2; Dramatics 2; Rhythm Club 4; President of Photography Club 4; Projector Operator 1, 2, 3; Most Talented.

EVA JEAN MOXLEY

Rhythm Club 4; Physical Education 1; Fashion Show 1, 2; Most Dignified.



NORMA McHONE

Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1; Fashion Show 1, 2; Rhythm Club 4; Physical Education 1; World Peace Speaking Contest 3; Public Speaking 4; Biggest Flirt.

SUE McKINNEY

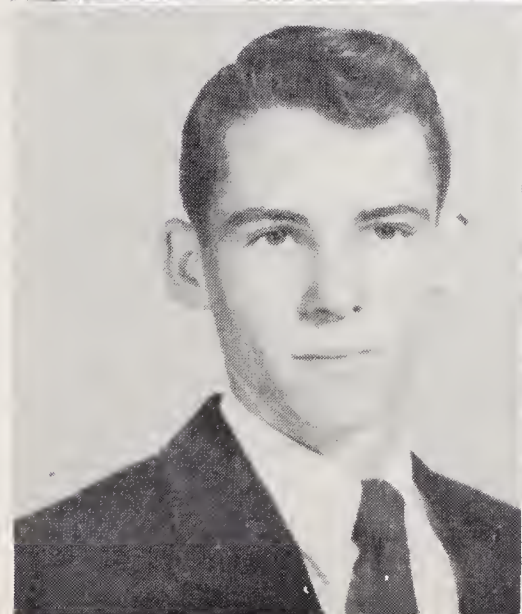
Class Secretary and Treasurer 1; Class Treasurer 2; Glee Club 1; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; Junior Varsity 1; Paper Staff 3; 4-H Club 1, 2; Style Show 1, 2; Reporter 4; Friendliest.

DOUGLAS NICHOLS

F. F. A. Club 1, 2; Dramatics 1; Paper Staff 3; Cutest.

IRIS NICHOLS

Honor Society 3, 4; J. V. Basketball 1; Varsity Basketball 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Class Officer 4; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; F. H. A. Officer 3, 4; Monogram Club Officer 4; 4-H Officer 1, 2, 3; 4-H County Officer 3; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; Annual Staff 3, 4; Student Government 3; Marshal 3; Halloween Queen 3; Homecoming Queen 4; World Peace Speaking Contest 2, 3; Softball 2, 3, 4; Fashion Show 1, 2, 3; Honor Student 1, 2, 3, 4; Best All Around.



SENIORS



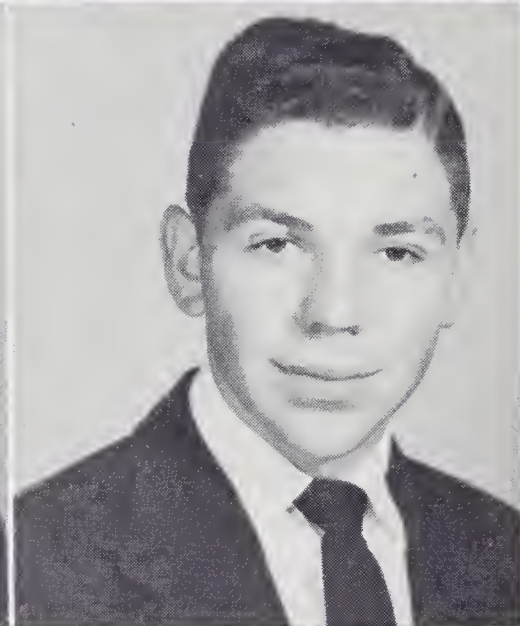
WILLARD NISTON
Rhythm Club 4; Most Polite.



MONA SCOTT
Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2, 3; Jr. Varsity Basketball 1; Fashion Show 1, 2; Public Speaking 4; Teen Age Columnist in Mt. Airy News 4; Rhythm Club 4; Most Original.



DOROTHY SECHRIEST
4-H Club 1; 2, 3; F. H. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Glee Club 1; Library Club 4; Rhythm Club 4 Fashion Show 1, 2; Jr. Varsity Basketball 1; Paper Staff 4; Most Tactful.

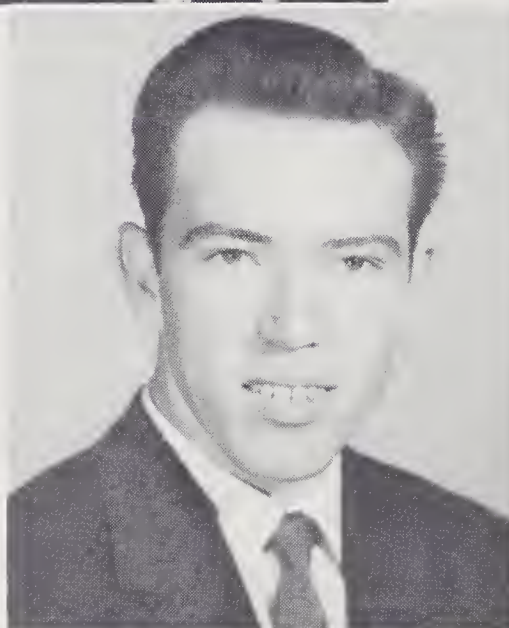


JAMES SHELTON
F.F.A. 1, 2; Bus Driver 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2; 4-H Club 1; Most Bashful.

ROGER SHELTON
F. F. A. 1, 2; Glee Club 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Basketball Manager 1; Monogram Club 4; Rhythm Club 4; Most Co-operative.

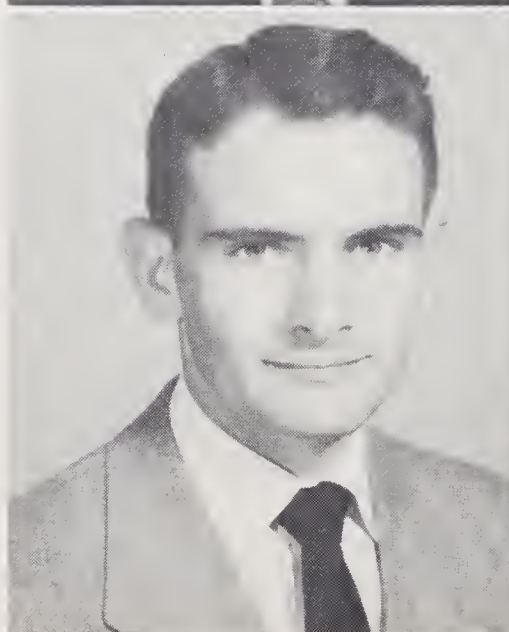
SHIRLEY SMITH
F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H 1, 2, 3; Rhythm Club 4; Cheerleader 3; Jr. Varsity Basketball 1; Fashion Show 1, 2; Most Polite.

Honor Society



CLEO STANLEY
Class Officer 1; F. F. A. 1, 2, 3, 4; F.F.A. Officer 3, 4; Bus Driver 2, 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; Dramatics 2, 3; Beef Cattle Judging Team 2; F.F.A. Field Day 3, 4; Baseball 2; Parliamentary Procedure 4; Most Contented.

JOY MAE THOMAS
Basketball 1; F.H.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1, 2; Glee Club 1; Style Show 1, 2; Rhythm Club 4; Paper Staff 3, 4; Neatest.



SENIORS

REID VERNON

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; J. V. Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; 4-H Club 1; Baseball Manager 3; Football 1, 2, 3; Football Manager 4; Football Captain 3; Rhythm Club 4; Monogram Club 4; Most Likeable.

JEAN WILLIAMSON

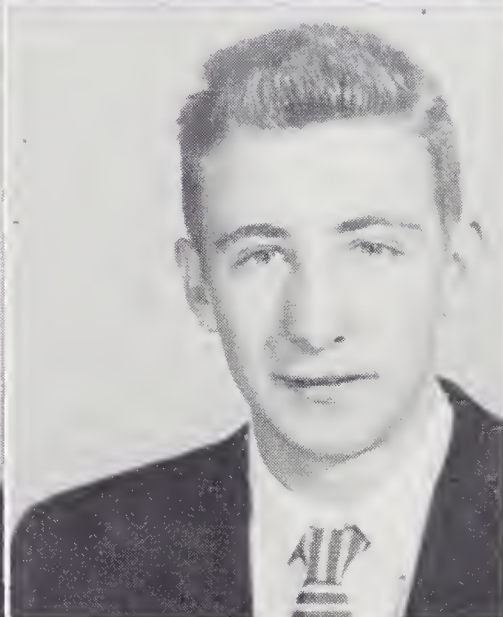
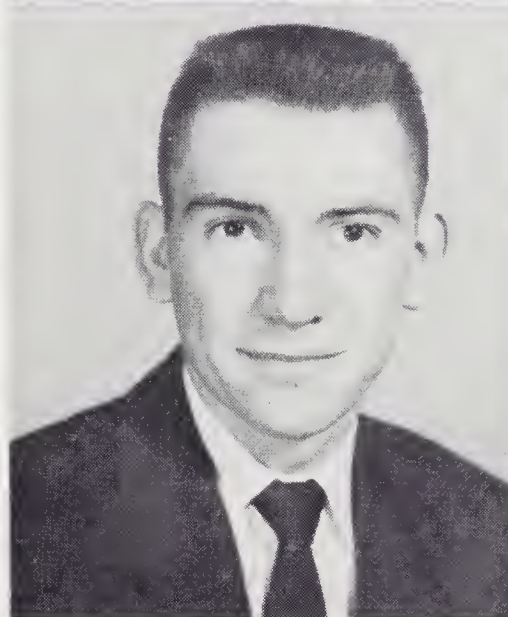
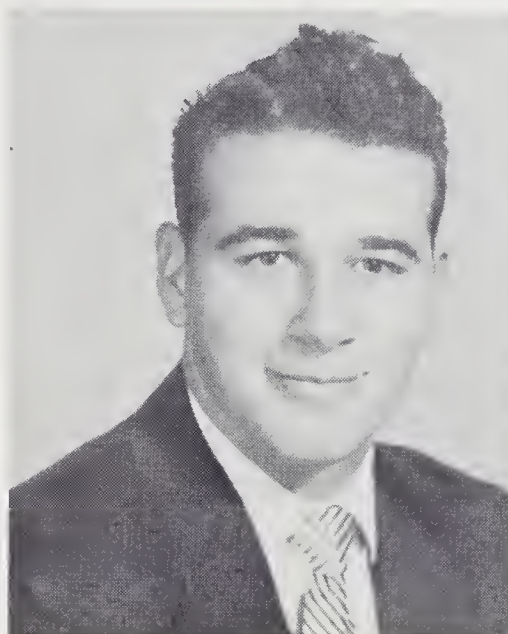
4-H Club 1, 2; Glee Club 1; Rhythm Club 4; Physical Education 1, 2, 3; Paper Staff 4; Most Talented.

FRED WILSON

Honor Society 3, 4, President 3; Bus Driver 3, 4; Glee Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Dramatics 2, 3; Rhythm Club 4; Best All Around.

JAMES WOOD

F.F.A. 1, 2, 3, 4; Rhythm Club 4; J. V. Basketball 2, 3; Stage Manager 3; Quittest.



SUPERLATIVES



MOST POLITE
Shirley Smith
Willard Niston



MOST LIKEABLE
Pat Jones
Reid Vernon



MOST STUDIOUS
Joyce Hill
Donald Frye



BEST PERSONALITY
Elsie Hodges Davenport
Bobby Hodge



CUTEST
Jackie Coe
Oklas Harold
Douglas Nichols



NEATEST
Joy Mae Thomas
Joe Bunker



FRIENDLIEST
Sue McKinney
Bobby Gunter

SUPERLATIVES



BEST ALL AROUND
Iris Nichols
Fred Wilson
Vance King



BIGGEST FLIRTS
Norma Faye McHone
James Wood



CLASS COMEDIANS
Dot Beasley
David Hall

MOST DEPENDABLE
Sarah Jones
Mac Gwyn



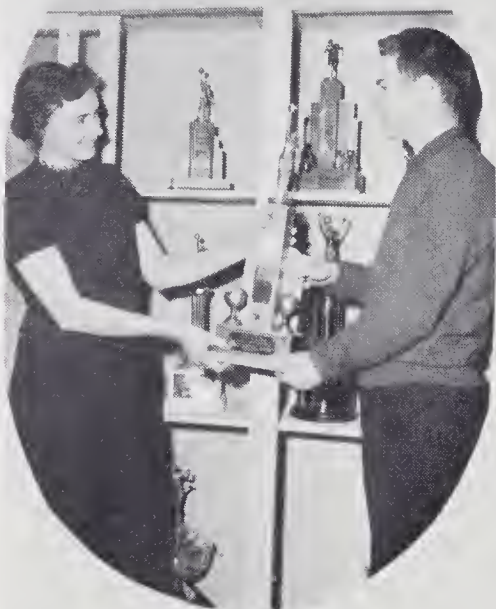
QUIETEST
Ernestine Collins
James Wood



MOST ATTRACTIVE
Pat Hall
Wilburn Blackburn



SUPERLATIVES



MOST ATHLETIC
Jill Laughridge
Max Hiatt



MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED
Shirley Draughn
C. W. Faulkner

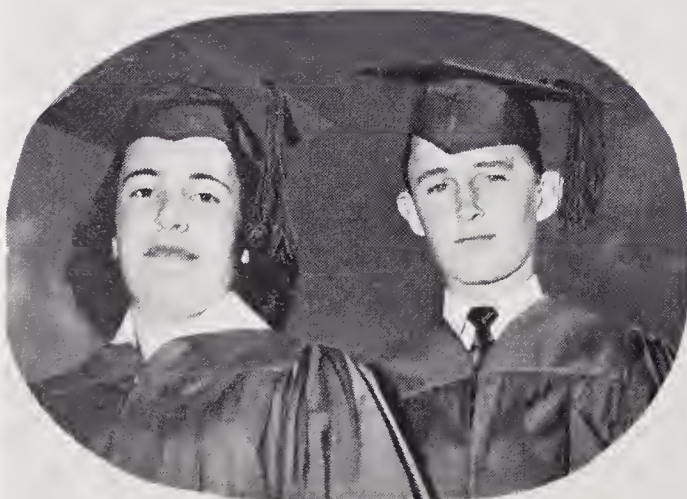


MOST POPULAR
Mary Lou Bowman
Hampton Beamer

MOST TALENTED
Wade Macey
Christine Angel

BEST DRESSED
Mable Gravley
Roland Jones

MOST DIGNIFIED
Eva Jean Moxley
Leroy Hawks



SUPERLATIVES



MOST ORIGINAL
Donald Harrell
Mona Scott



MOST CO-OPERATIVE
Nancy Hooker
Roger Shelton



MOST CONTENTED
Jewel Holder
Cleo Stanley



MOST TACTFUL
Dot Sechriest
Woodrow Jackson

HAPPIEST
Mildred Easter
Roy Beasley



MOST BASHFUL
Wanda France



MOST TREASURED
Linda Coe
Phillip Taylor



MARSHALS / 1953



Front Row, Left to Right: Jill Laughridge, Elsie H. Davenport, Shirley Draughn, Chief; Iris Nichols, Joyce Hill. Back Row: Max Hiatt, Don Frye, C. W. Faulkner.

LAST WILL AND TESTAMENT

We, the Senior Class of Franklin High School, fifty-two in number, do declare this to be our Last Will and Testament.

ITEM I

To the faculty, our respect for your guidance, our appreciation for your inspiration. These will become more valuable as the years pass.

ITEM II

To Franklin High School, which will be always our Alma Mater, we bequeath the hope that you will continue to march on as you have in the past.

ITEM III

To all incoming Senior Classes we leave the hope that your last year at Franklin will be a crowning event as ours has been.

ITEM IV

To the Sophomore Classes we leave all our sophisticated ways to add to your "know all" characteristics of all Sophomore Classes.

ITEM V

To All Freshmen Classes at Franklin, the desire to become Seniors with four years of many activities.

The following gifts are distinctively our own to pass on to others:

1. Oklas Harold's ability to get along in two English classes goes to Hugh Simmons who can't get along in one class.
2. Bobby Gunter and Christine Angel's inability to follow instructions to Blanche Boyd who delights in precision.
3. Mildred Easter's laugh to Barbara Harrell who has never been seen to smile.
4. Woodrow Jackson and Willard Niston's habit of courting to Gray Morrison who has never been seen courting.
5. The ability of Vance King, class president, to Selben Snow, Junior President, to crystalize class cliques into a functioning class.
6. Dot Beasley and Dot Sechriest's chuminess to Gary Holder, the Lone Ranger.
7. Roy Beasley's knack of saying "yes ma'am" to James Marion, who is so apt to say "UH-HUH."
8. The lady-like manners of Mary Lou Bowman to Elaine Bunker who is so tomboyish.
9. Wilburn Blackburn's lack of punctuality to Faye Hiatt who is promptness personified.
10. The athletic ability of Jill Laughridge and Max Hiatt to John Caricoe, who doesn't know a basketball from any other round object.
11. Iris Nichols' stubborn hair to Jo Ann Tolbert whose hair stays put.
12. The sparkle of Nancy Hooker's eyes and her love of conversation to Raymond Holder who never sparkles or talks.
13. C. W. Faulkner, Jr.'s ability of adapting himself to any group or situation to Wayne Tolbert who never knows what to do or say.
14. Donald Frye's many talents to Senator Golding whose only talent is being "a man of the world."
15. The mischievous ways of David Hall to Troy Hodge, who pretends to try to be good if he isn't.
16. Norma Faye McHone's flirtatious ways to Jewell Gwyn, providing Jewell won't out flirt her.
17. The popularity of Hampton Beamer to Wilbur Hawks who wants to be a "ladies' man."
18. Shirley Draughn's pleasant manners to Pat Estes who is following close in Shirley's footsteps in activities at Franklin.
19. Joyce Hill is always first where she belongs, when she belongs. This characteristic she leaves to Bruce Scott who has the knack of never being in place.
20. Elsie Hodges Davenport's way of collecting money from the Seniors, a dime or dollar, to next year's Senior Class Treasurer.
21. That pretended pout of Joe Bunker's to Rex O'Neal who carries a ready smile.
22. Ernestine Collins' silken curls to Gail Snoddy whose hair is too, too straight.
23. The aching allergies of Reid Vernon to Robert Clifton, who never has an ache or pain.
24. The diminutive figure of Jackie Coe to Nelda Joy Vernon who could use it.
25. The melodious voice of Fred Wilson, the tingling fingers of Wade Macey to Curtis Gentry who neither sings nor plays.
26. The shy way Roger Shelton has of breaking promises to Thomas Nichols whose word is his bond.
27. The tactful way Wanda France has of knowing everyone's business and still not being nose-y to Norma Dean Woodruff, who can't keep up with her own affairs.
28. James Shelton's timidity and bashfulness to Heath Quisenberry who is neither timid nor bashful.
29. The chic appearance of Mable Gravley and Roland Jones to Edna Wilson and Kenneth Horton to be models for '55.
30. Jewell Holder's manner of contentment to Frances Nixon who seems always struggling for more and more happiness.
31. The frankness of Mac Gwyn to Douglas Easter who makes you wonder what is behind his facial expression.
32. Pat Hall's pleasant ways to Nelda Jean Chappell, who often sours on the world.
33. The exclusive way of Donald Harrell to J. W. Belton who is just J. W. every day.
34. The lovely complexion of Pat Jones to Ernestine Phillips II to add glamour to next year's class.
35. Leroy Hawks' attitude of living and letting live to Oslar Handy who can be a pest.
36. The ability Sarah Jones has in Senior Class correspondence to next year's class secretary.
37. The personality of Bobby Hodge to Robert Ward who almost has enough of his own.
38. Our red heads, Sue McKinney and Joy Mae Thomas leave their flaming locks to the Junior Class to brighten their way.
39. The quiet, friendly ways of Douglas Nichols and Cleo Stanley, to Gilbert Hawks, who can add these to his already strong personality.
40. Shirley Smith's placid manner to Billie Hooker who never seems to be quite sure of herself.
41. Mona Scott's ambitions to Ernestine Phillips I who has only one ambition, to be in love.
42. James Wood's ability to knock the chip off his own shoulder instead of letting someone else knock this off to any Senior who starts off wrong.
43. Jean Williamson leaves her hair fixing talent to Louise Beasley and Bonnie Mosley who have so many different hair arrangements.
44. Eva Jean Moxley's ability of causing people to think she is not friendly, when she really is, to any Junior who wants to live in a world of their own.
45. Our little mascots', Linda Coe and Philip Taylor, way of winning the hearts of the Seniors of '54 to all future class mascots.

In witness whereof, we the Senior Class of 1954 have set our hands this twenty-eighth day of May, in the year of one thousand nine hundred and fifty-four.

Joyce Hill
CLASS TESTATOR

PROPHECY

They told me I must prophecy, but alas I am no prophet. As I pondered all weak and weary, I tried to dip into the future to see what my classmates would be doing ten years hence. As I nodded before the firelight I closed my eyes to think. Soon I was fast asleep. Suddenly it seemed as if I were wide awake and I saw my classmates as they will be in 1964.

First, I saw Elsie Hodges Davenport settled down at home caring for their four children while Leonard is the manager and owner of Davenport's Meat Market.

Jill Laughridge is back at F.H.S. coaching basketball. All the players seem more interested, especially the boys.

The Slabtown and Welch Bridge Community Beauty Shops are owned and operated by Wanda France and Dorothy Sechriest. They have more customers than they can accommodate.

Norma Faye McHone is secretary to the Governor of North Carolina. She got her start by helping in the F.H.S. office in 1954.

Roy Beasley has the biggest duck and fish foundation in dog-patch. He got his start from the little pond he had down below his house while he was in high school.

Our housewives are Mildred Easter, Sarah Jones, and Ernestine Collins. Mildred finally finished dairy training at Lawson's Dairy, but she is now caring for the children. She likes this better than tending to cows. Sarah is very happy living in the Cana Virginia Hotel tending to the six kids while Willie is striving for a promotion as dish washer at the State Line. Ernestine is being kept busy tending to their twins, Jim and Joe, and working on the Cole Farm, Route 10, New York, trying to keep Paul fat.

Jewell Holder and Cleo Stanley are married and living down in the heart of Bunker Woods farming and building a large barn to take care of their livestock. They spend their night time tending to the six kids.

If you go to Washington, stop by the basement of the White House and see Christine Angel doing secretarial work for the President. She got her experience by graduating from Franklin Business College at Toast.

Jean Williamson is now employed by the Slabtown Music Conservatory giving music lessons to all young people over fifty.

Oklas Harold and Leroy Hawks now have a used car lot located near Buck Shoals Pond. They have a lot of trade. They got their mechanical experience by working on Okie's car, pushing it up hills and riding down them.

Mac Gwyn is driving a corn meal truck from Toast to Pine Ridge. He has about five customers, stopping from house to house, to serve them.

After graduating from State College where he majored in agriculture, Donald Frye is now raising White Legorn chickens on his chicken farm at Lowgap.

Blackberry Cabs are owned and operated by Woodrow Jackson, located at Bannertown - day and night service. "Quick Service Always" is Woodrow's slogan.

A new addition to Bill Monroe's Band is Willard Niston. He plays the mandolin, banjo, or guitar. He started his career at F.H.S. playing between the acts of plays.

James Wood is owner and operator of the Toast Meat Market. Specializing in horse legs and hamburger meat.

Joe Bunker, James Shelton, and Wilburn Blackburn are driving airplanes for the Piper's Gap Airlines owned by David Hall and Hampton Beamer. They make non-stop trips from Piper's Gap to the airport in Dobson.

The patients at Pilot Mountain Hospital are under the care of Shirley Draughn, Sue McKinney, Joyce Hill, and Joy Mae Thomas. Not many patients, but what few there are, are really sick. The nurses received their training at the Hunter Hospital in France.

Iris Nichols is back at F.H.A. teaching the first grade after completing her education at Guilford College. All the kids seem to love their pretty teacher.

Mona Scott, Dot Beasley, and Mary Lou Bowman are charming hostesses working with Eastern Airlines. Their headquarters are in New York City.

Jackie Coe is married and living with Roy who is in the Air Force in France. She is also taking her basic training now, while Nancy Hooker is learning to swim along behind the ship of which Tommy is Captain.

Pat Hall is still rambling around working here and there. She can't decide whether to settle down now or not, or which man she wants.

Pat Jones is very happy now. She is married to Bobby. They have four children. Pat is serving as bookkeeper for Bobby at his service station.

Roland Jones is now owner and operator of the Plastic Plant. After being a steady employee for ten years he finally made it.

Bobby Gunter is working at a barber shop shining shoes. He got his start from his nickname "Shine" at dear old Franklin.

Bobby Hodges, who is coaching football at Lambsburg, has won all his football games so far, and has been voted the most outstanding coach for five consecutive years.

Fred Wilson owns a big business concern in Winston-Salem. He sells watermelons in the summer and salad and turnip greens in the winter.

Donald Harold is teaching swimming lessons to a school of 100 girls. All the girls seem to like their instructor.

Reid Vernon and Roger Shelton are with a circus. Part of their job is to sit and let people pay to look at them. Another job is training lions.

Mable Gravley and Douglas Nichols are the two best dressed models in Pilot Mountain. They got their start by being the best dressed at school.

Wade Macey has his own band organized. He is making personal appearances throughout the summer season in Atlantic City.

Vance King is chief executive of the Modern Television Channel, located at Loral Bluff. His able assistants are Max Hiatt and C. W. Faulkner.

Just then the clock struck twelve and I awakened with a bound, but the vision I had seemed so clear that I had to tell my classmates.

Dot Beasley
PROPHETESS

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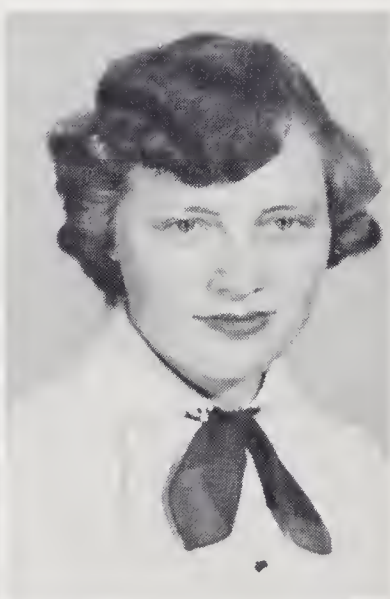
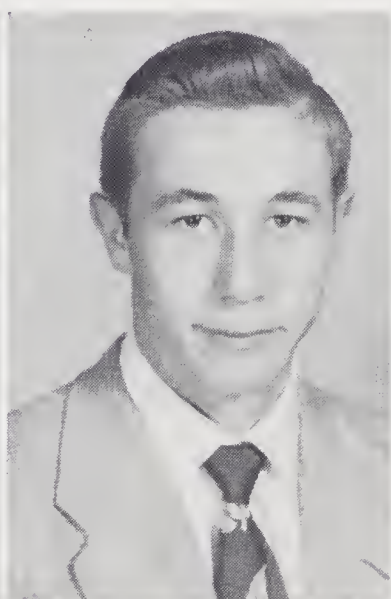
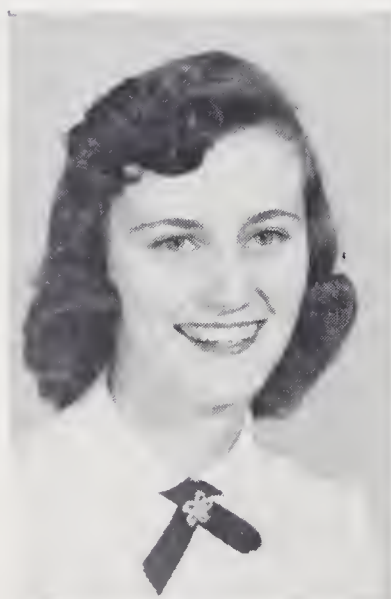
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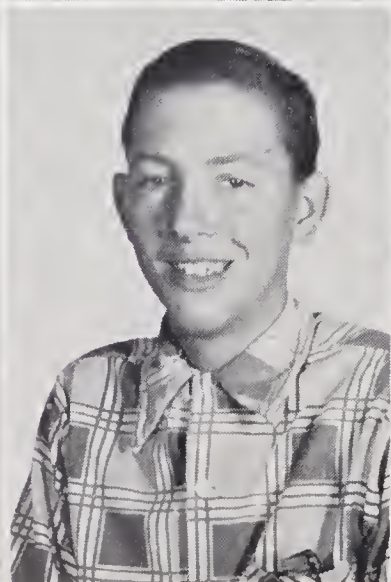
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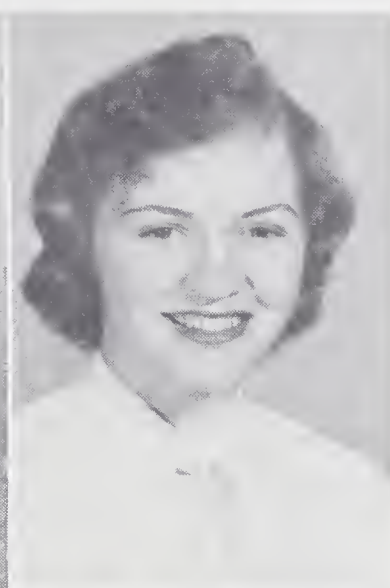
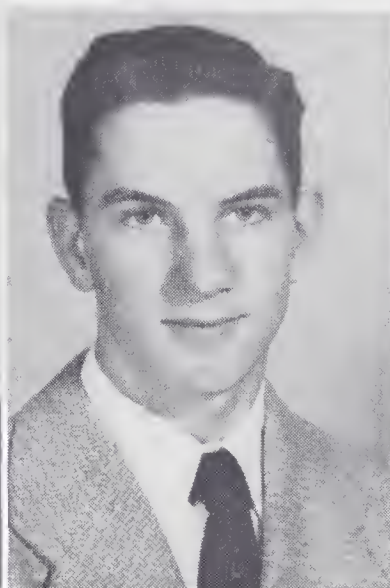
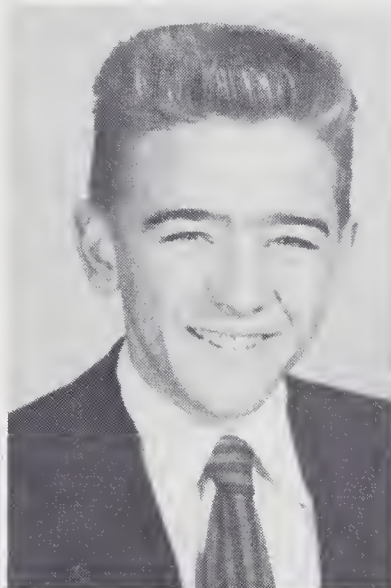
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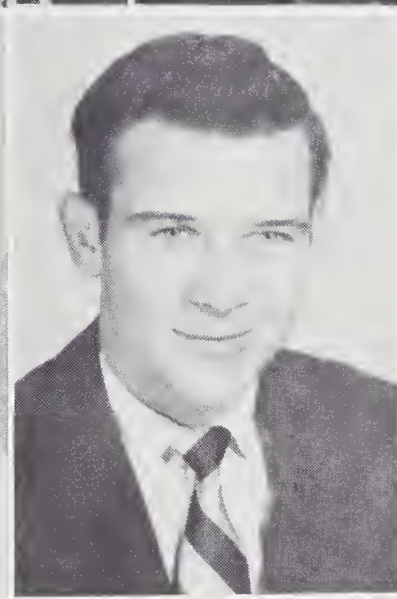
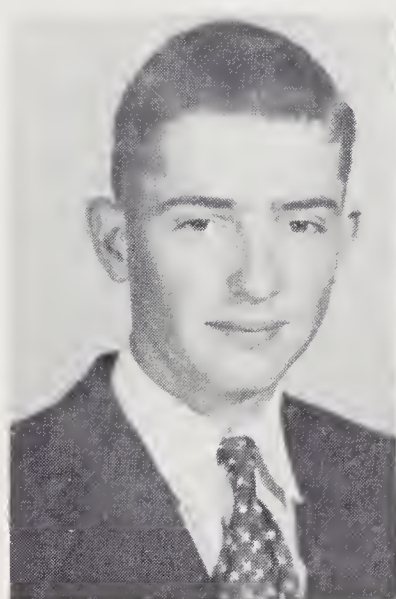
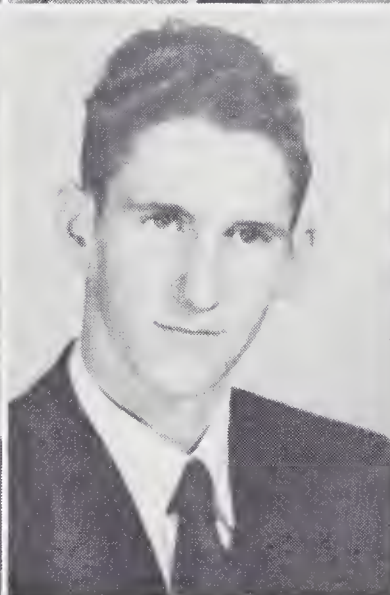
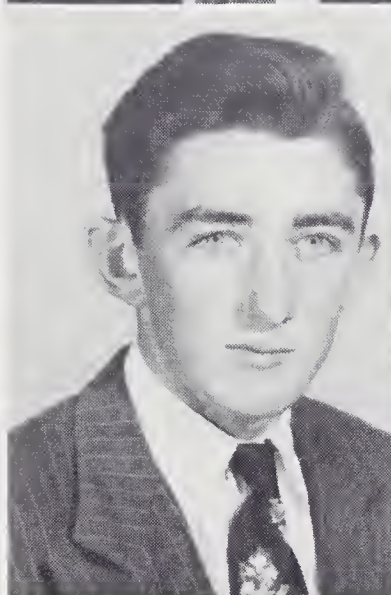
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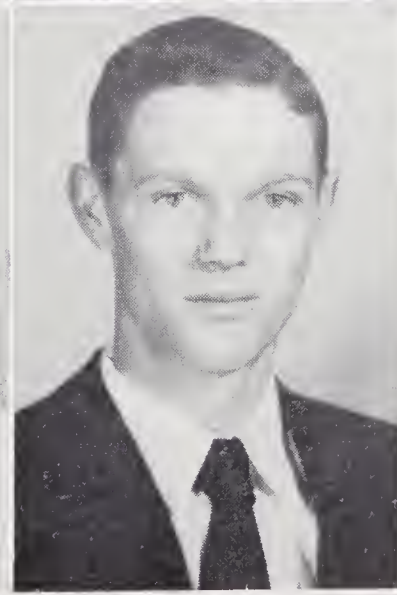
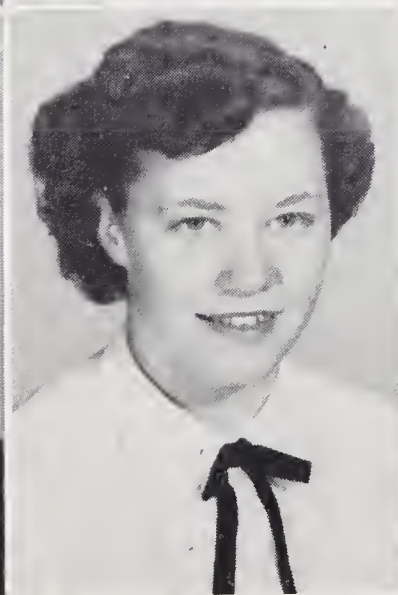
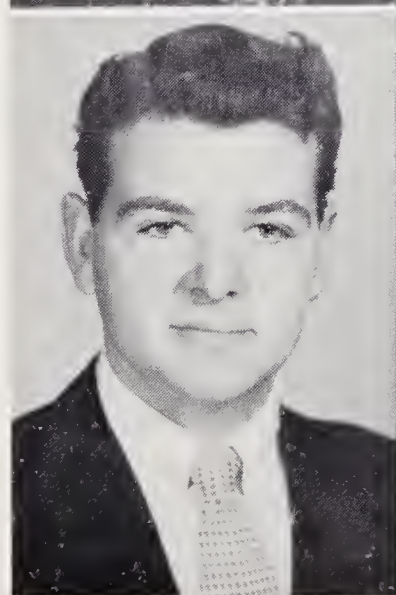
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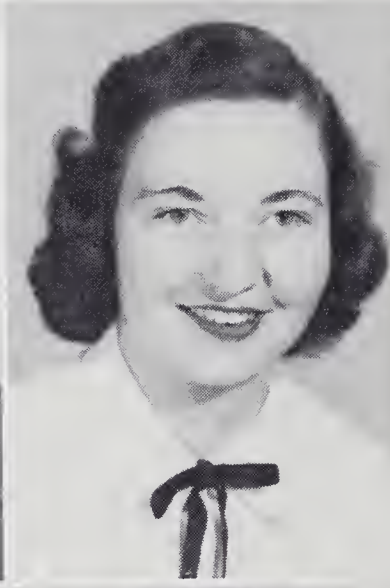


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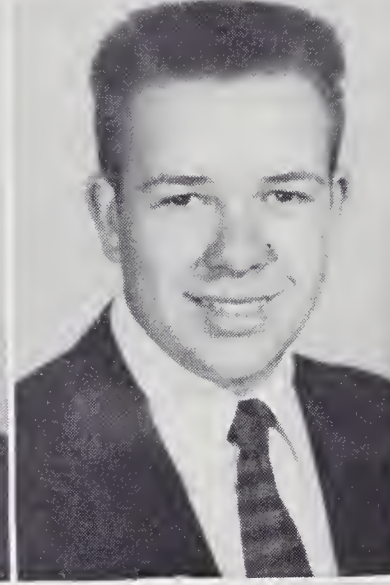
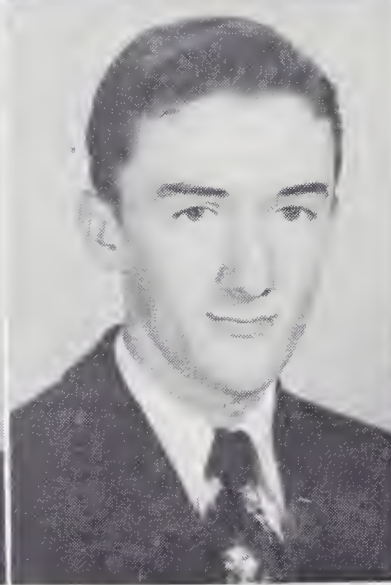
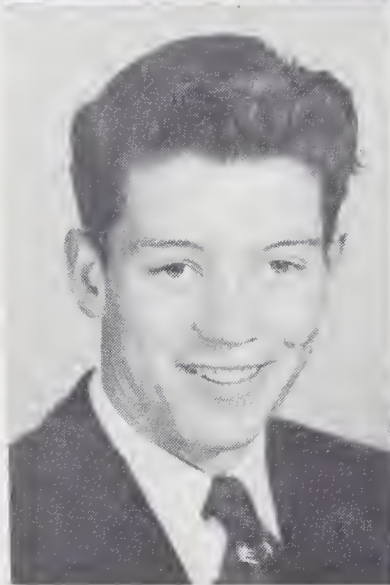
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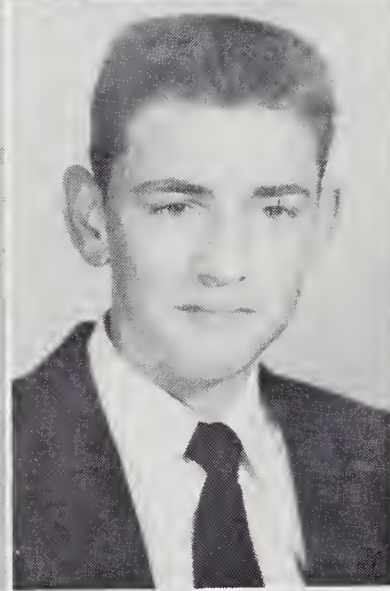
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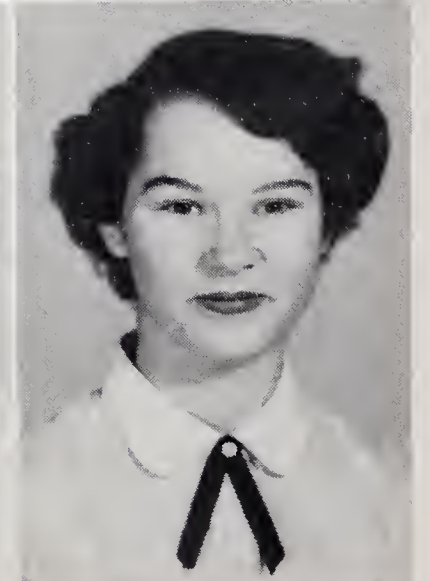
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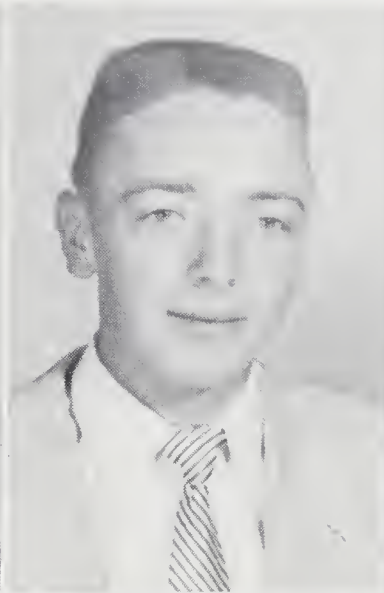


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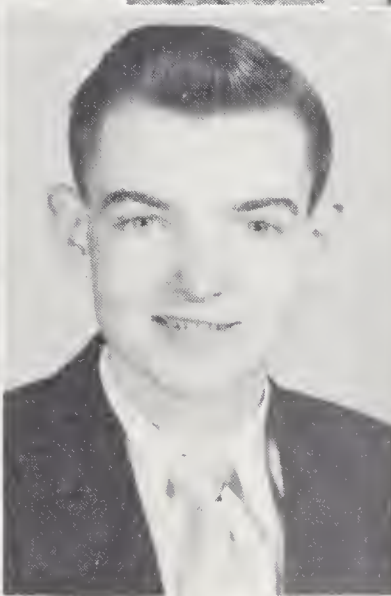
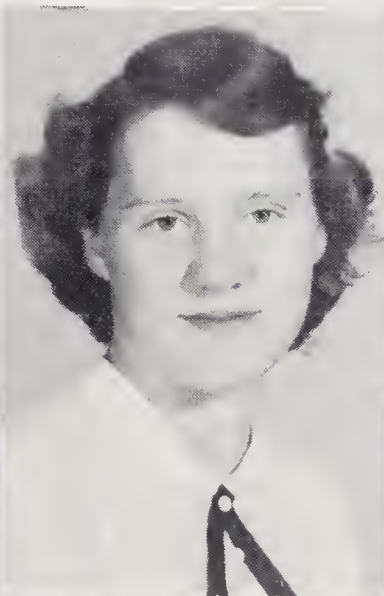
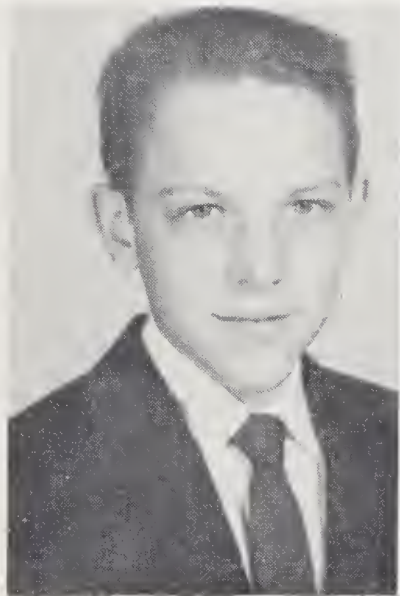
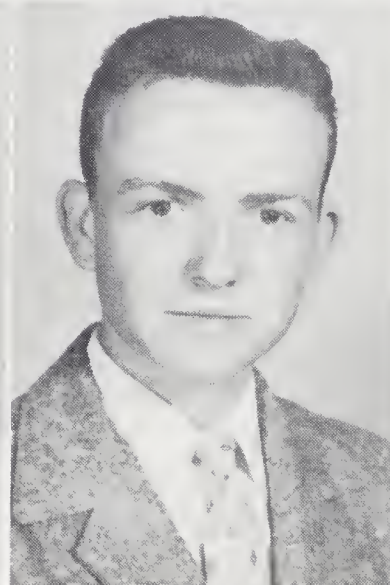
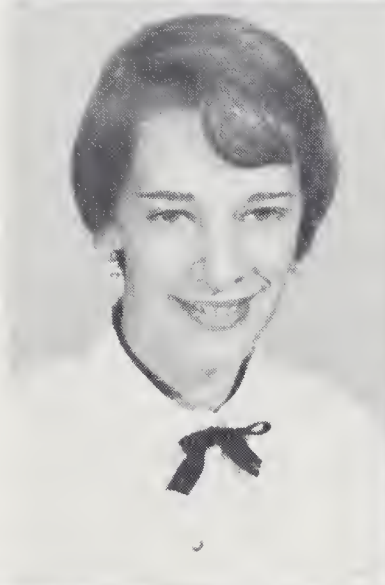
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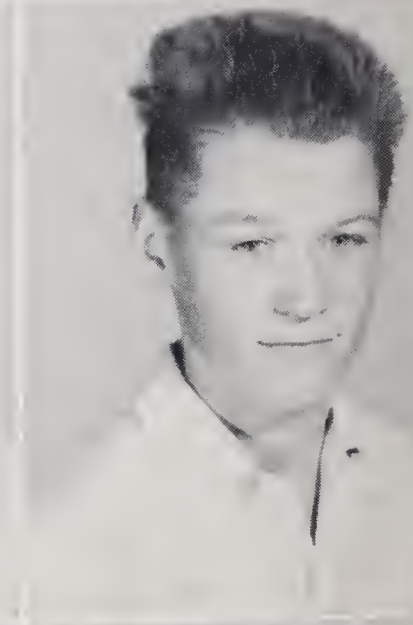
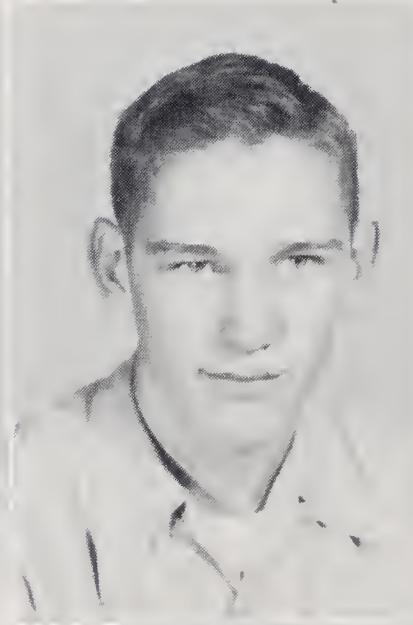
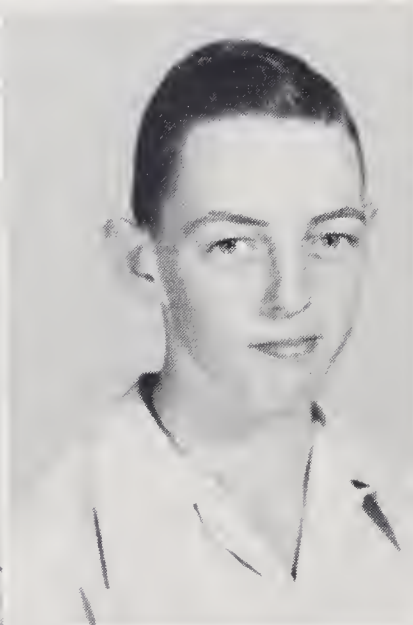
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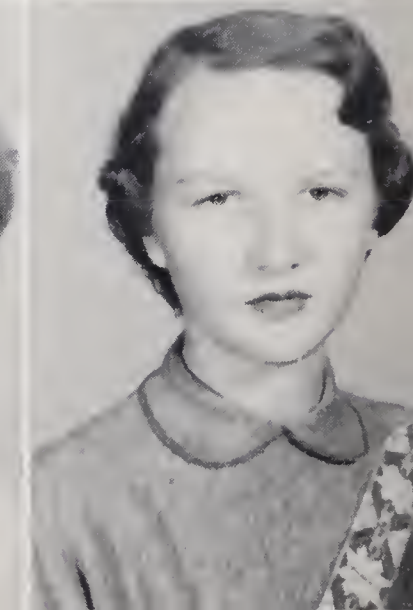
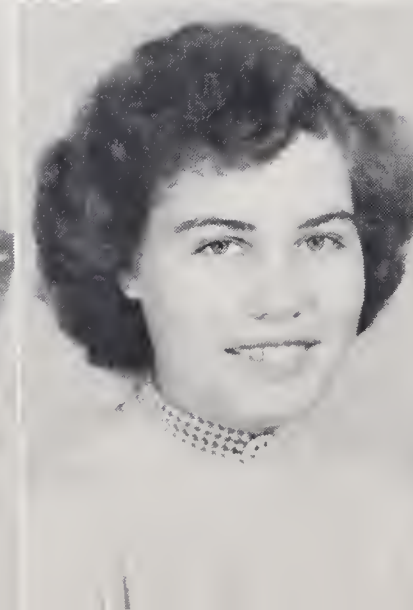
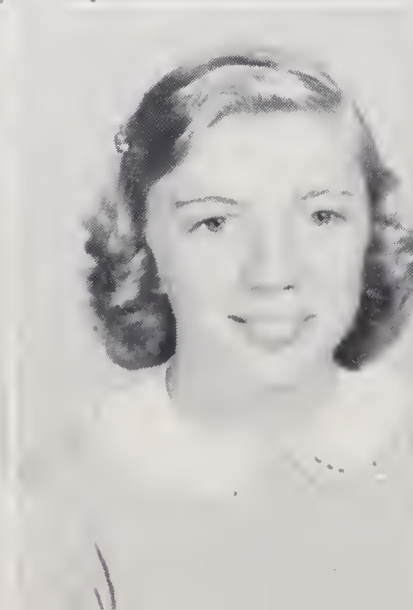
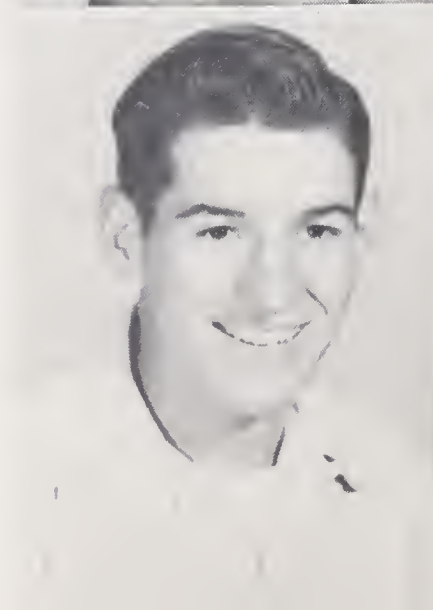
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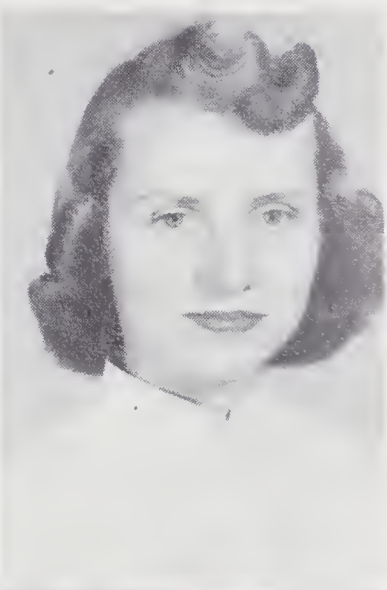
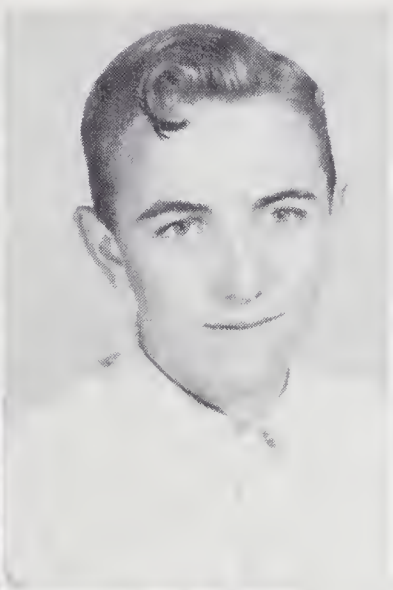
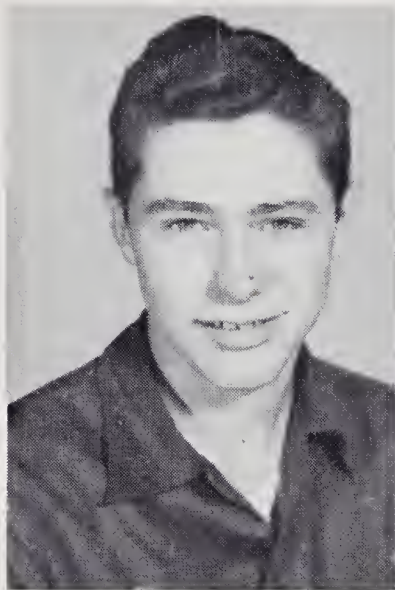
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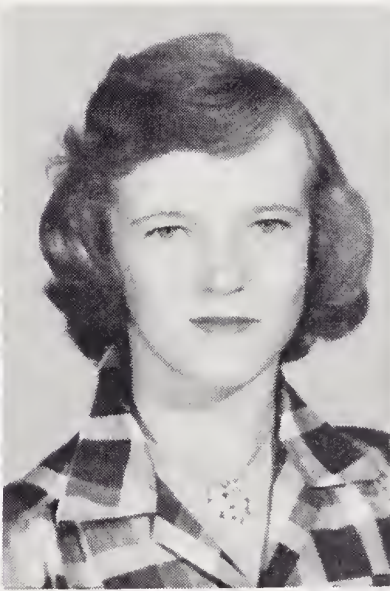
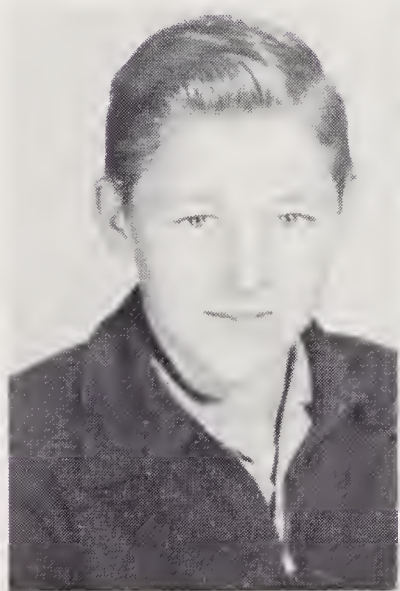
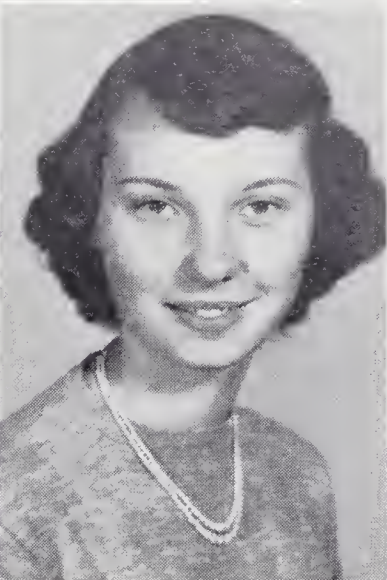
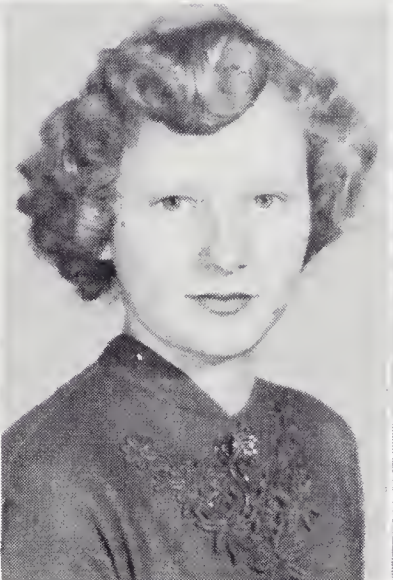
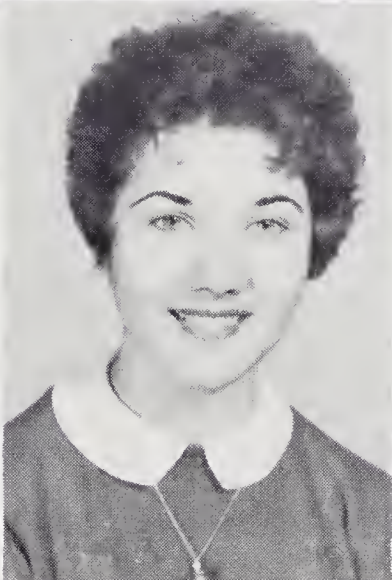
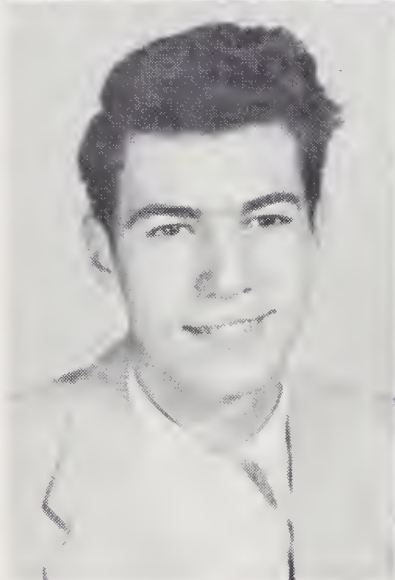
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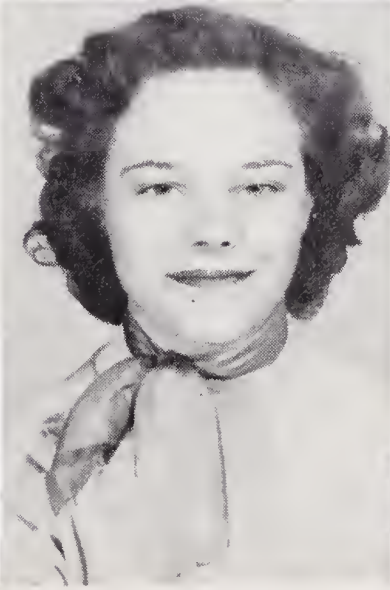
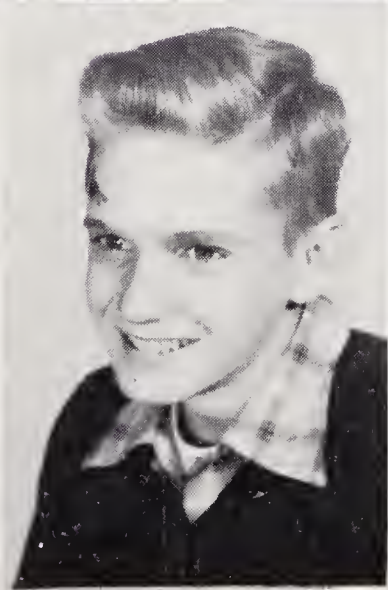
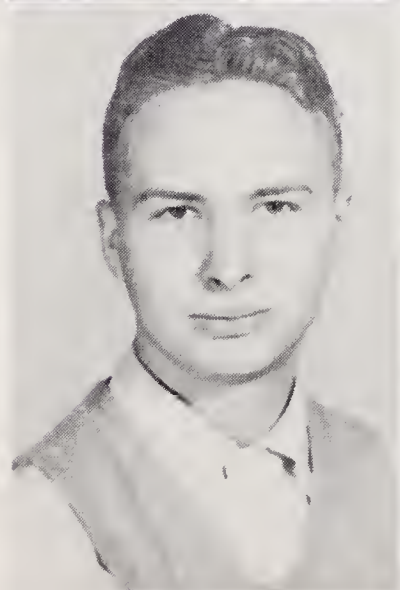
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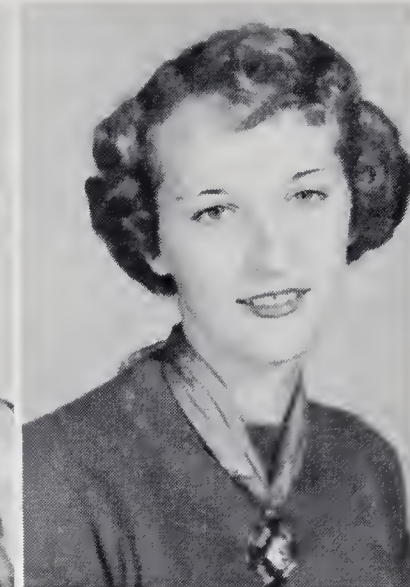
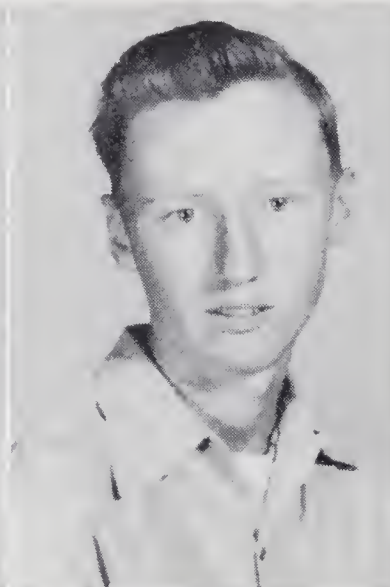
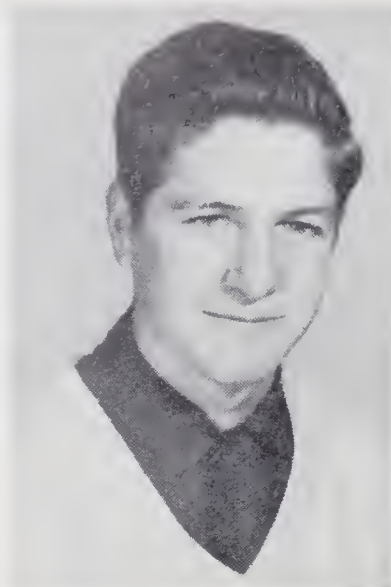
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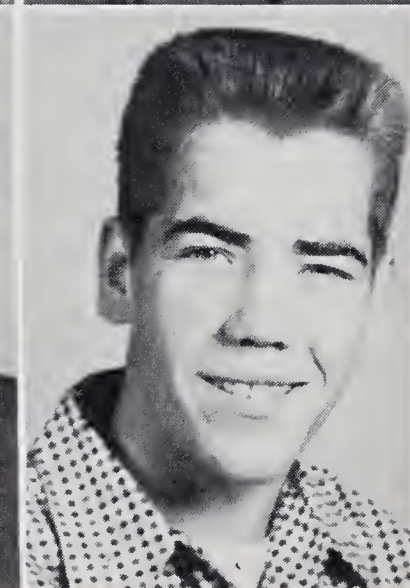
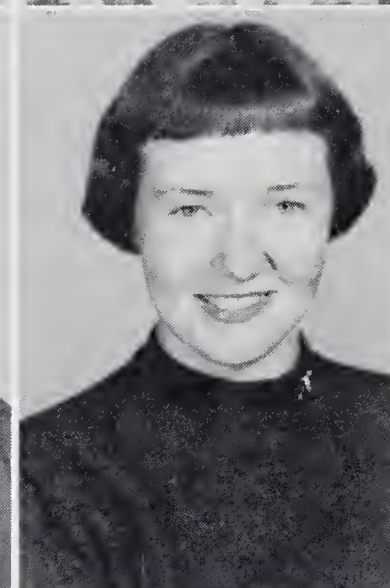
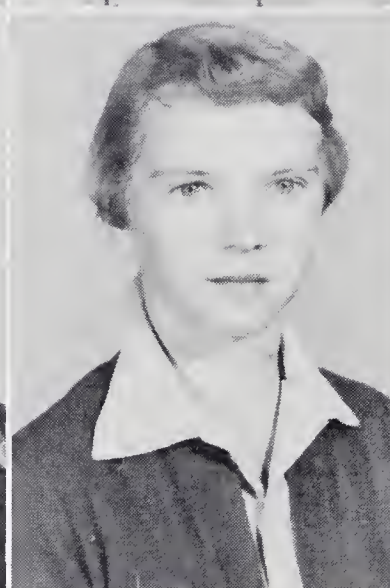
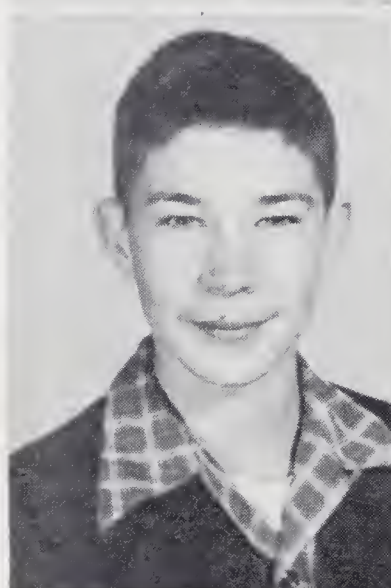
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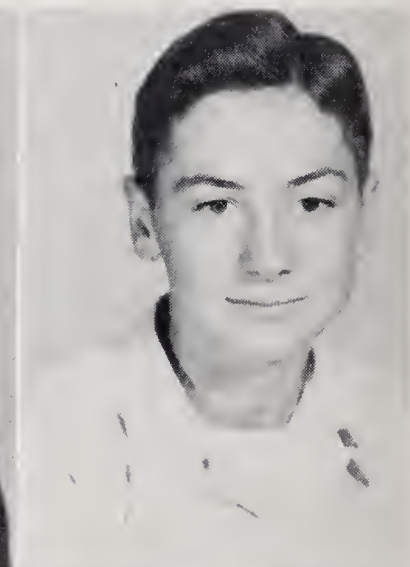
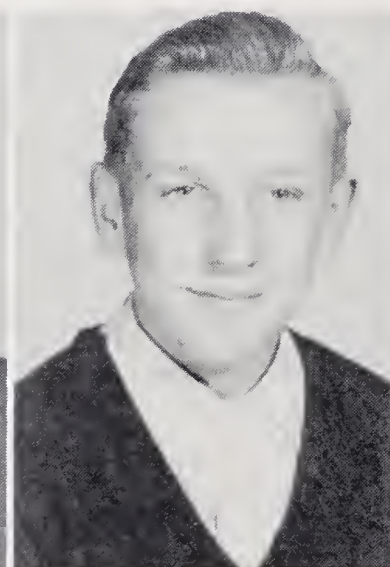
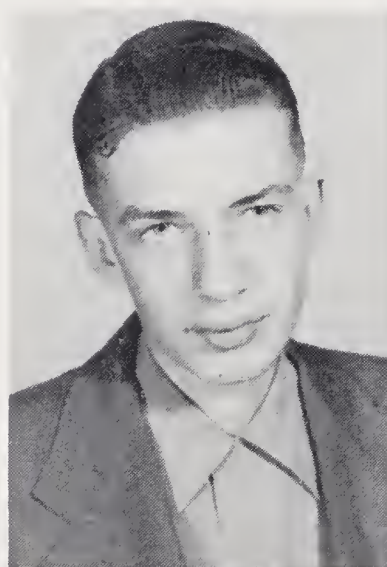
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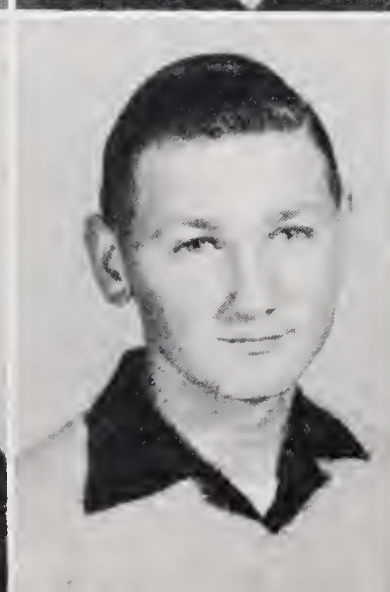
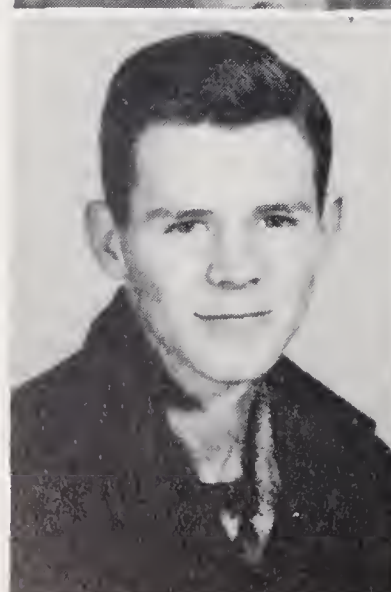
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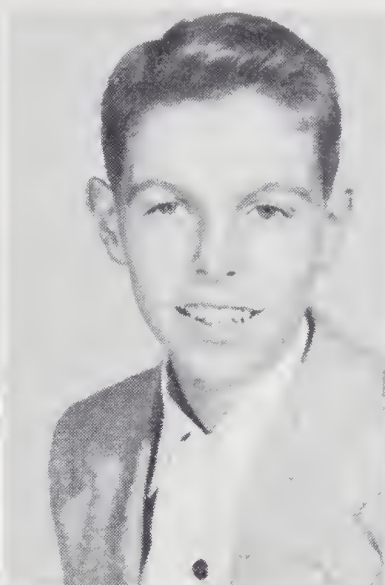
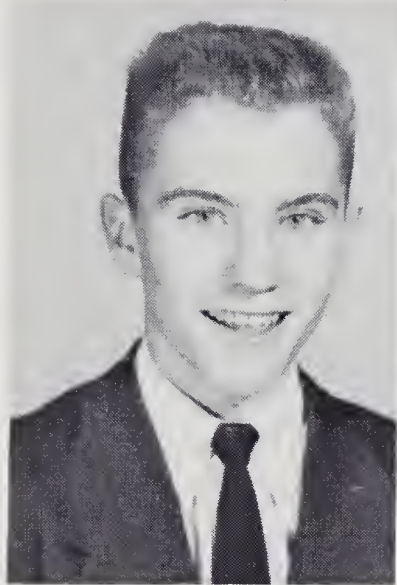


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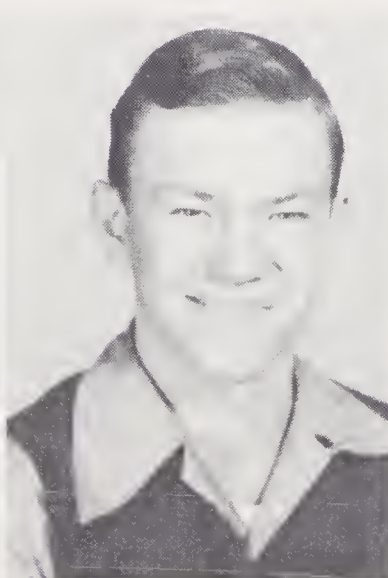
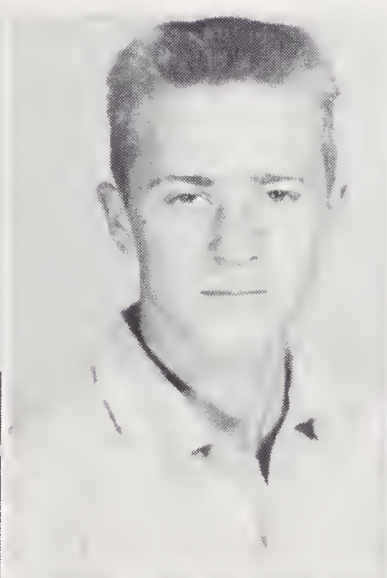
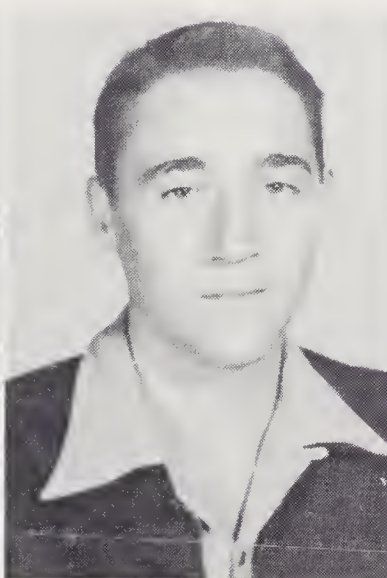
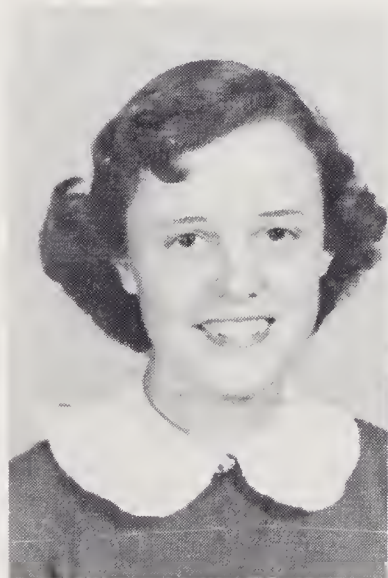
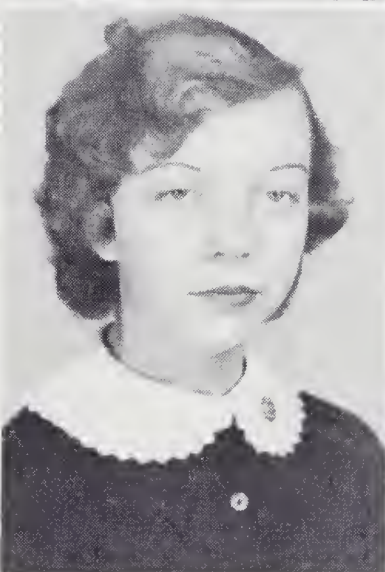
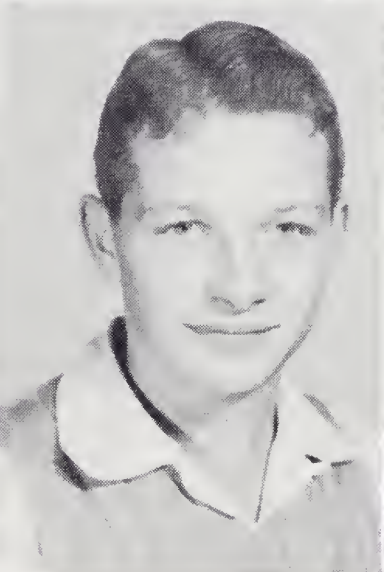
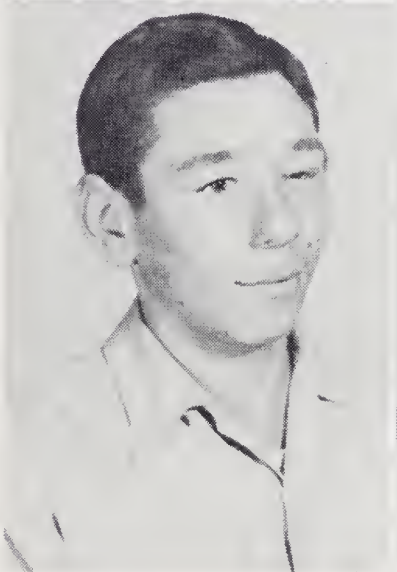


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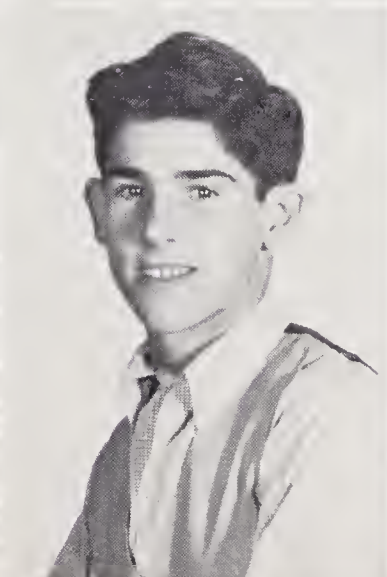
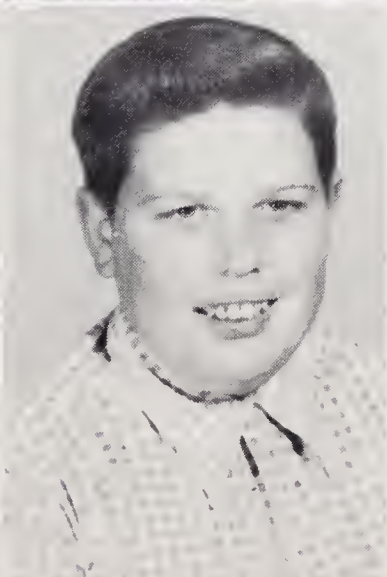
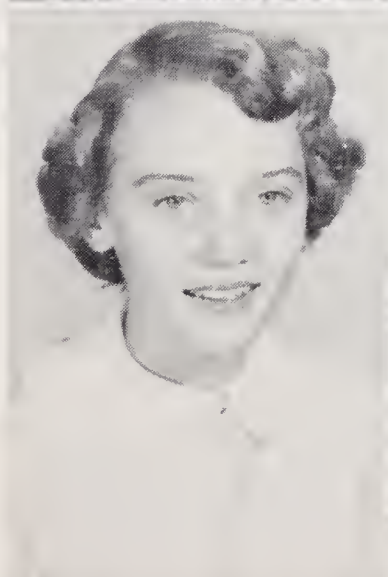
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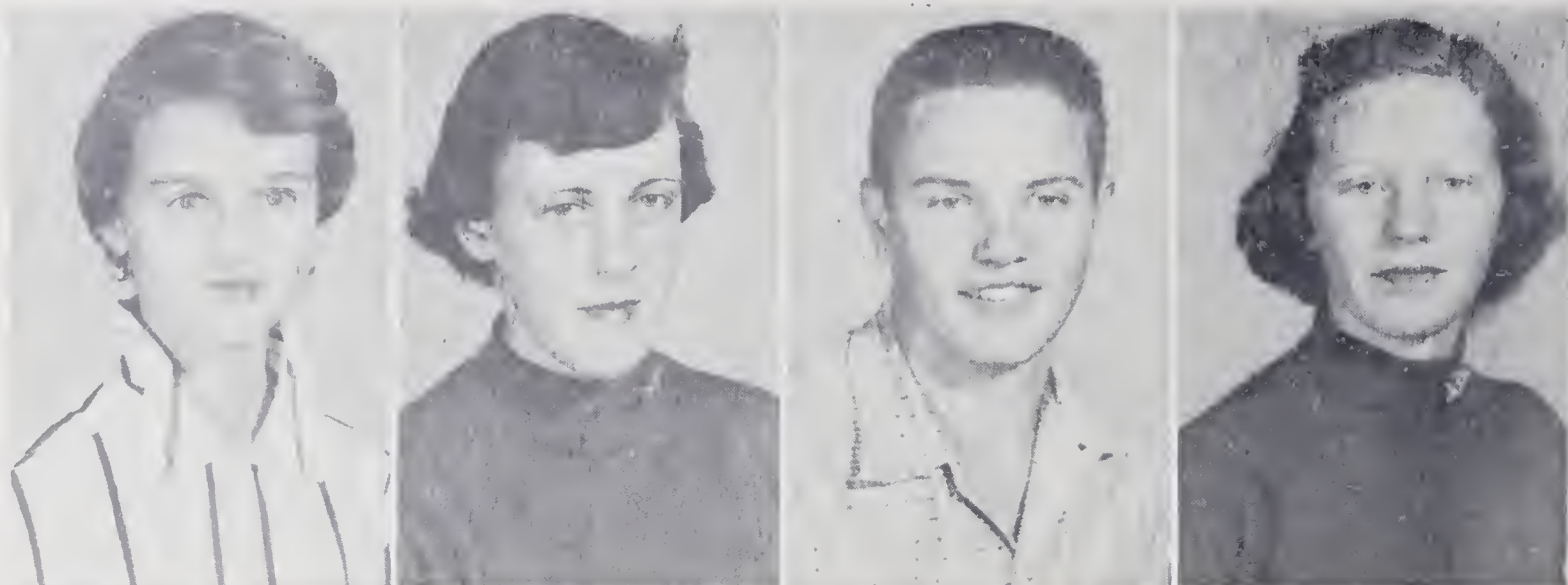
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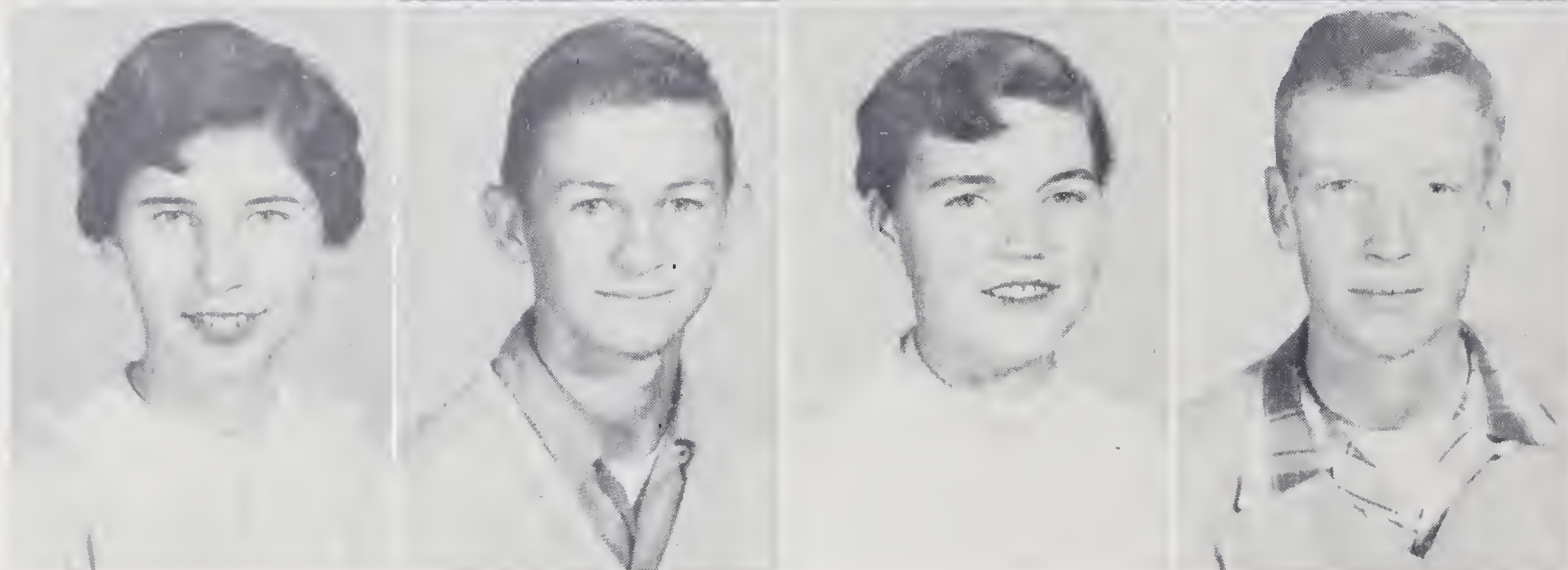
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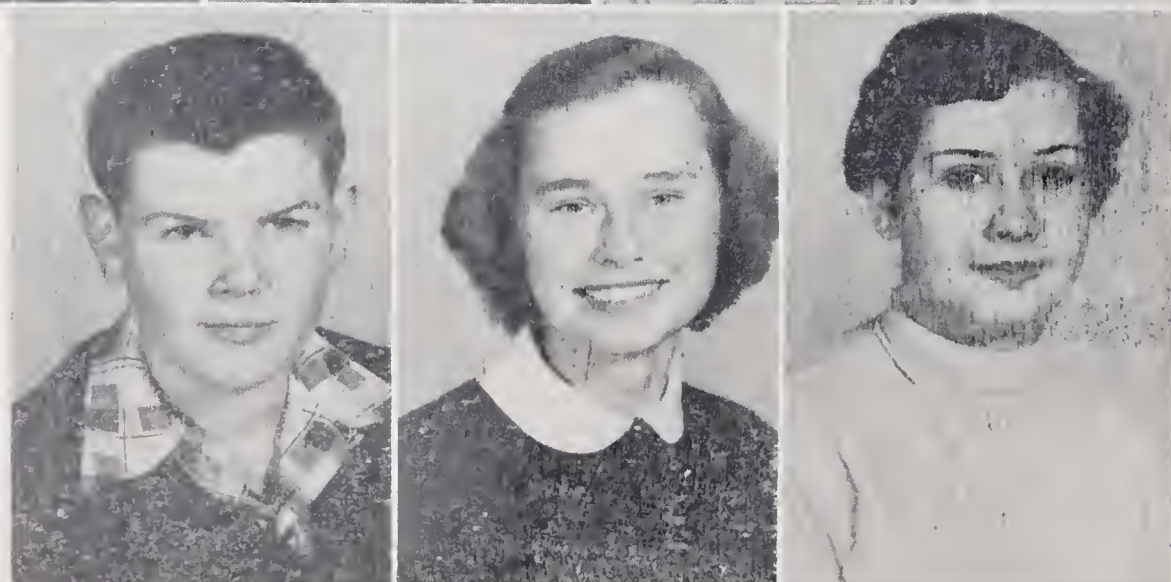


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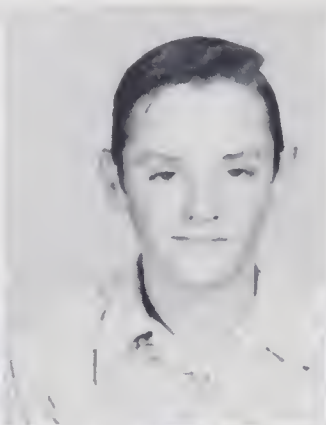


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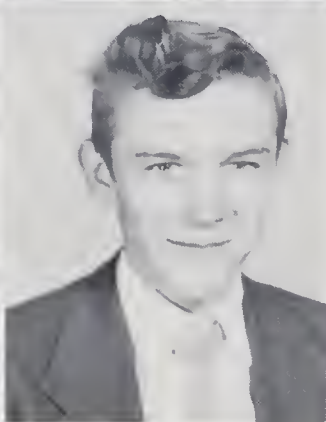
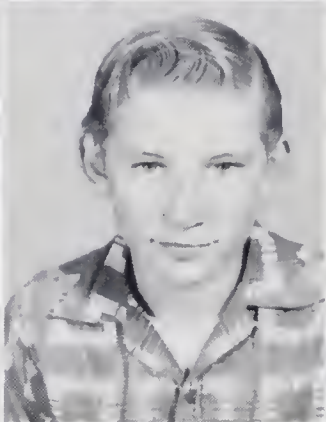


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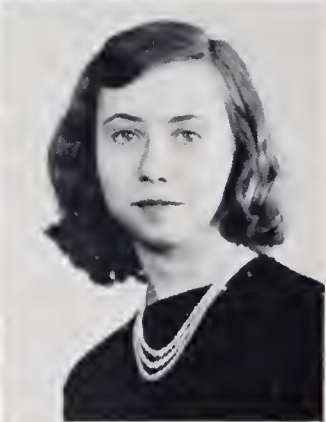




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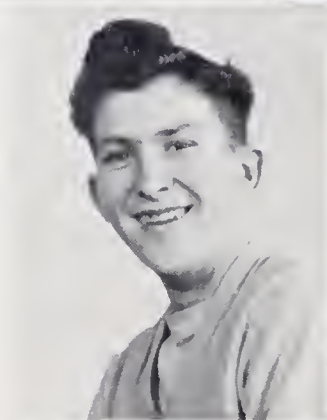


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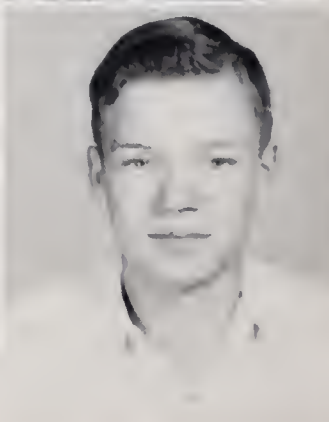
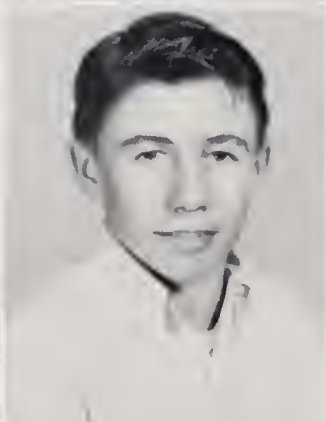
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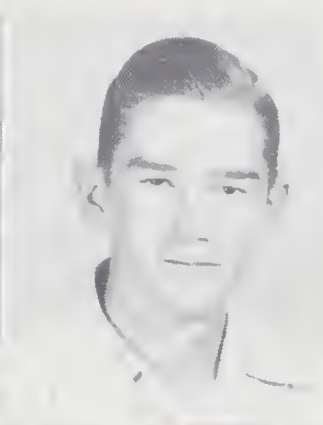
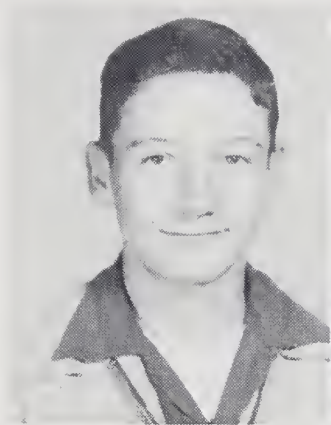
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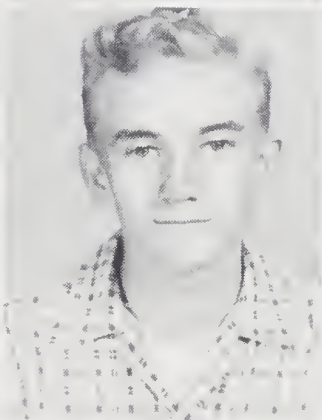
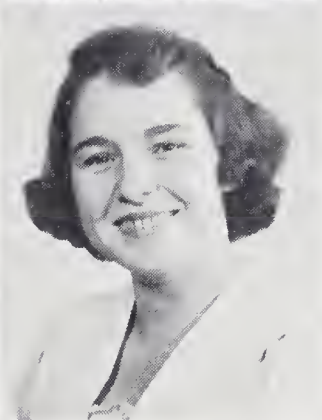
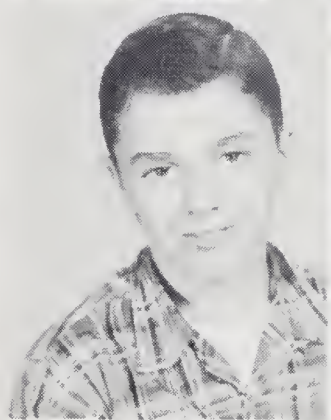
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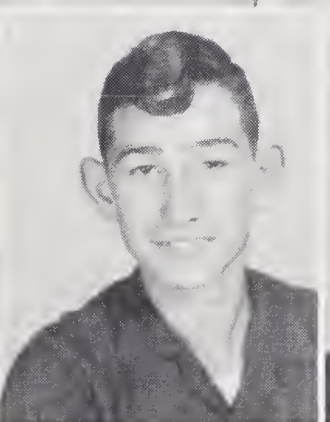
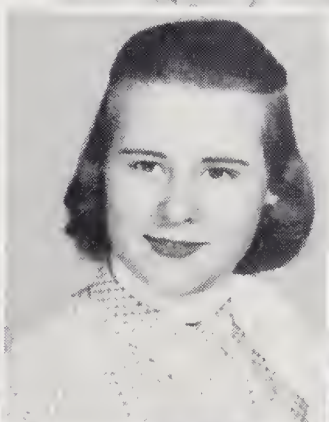
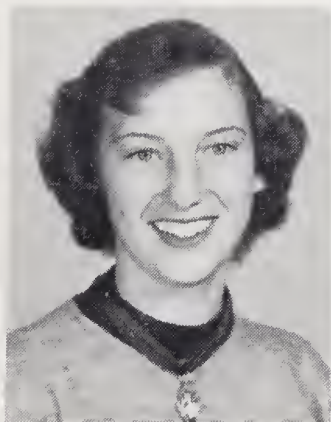
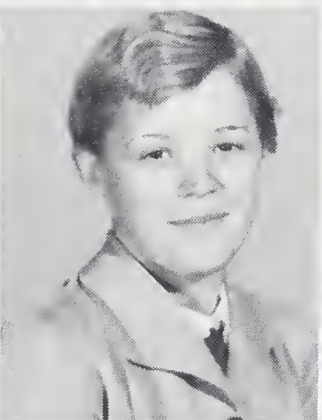
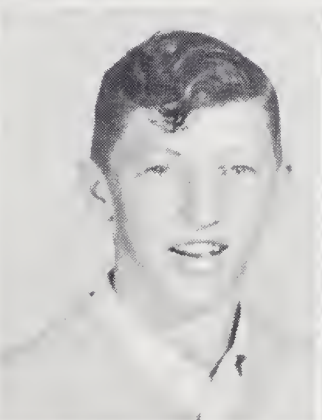
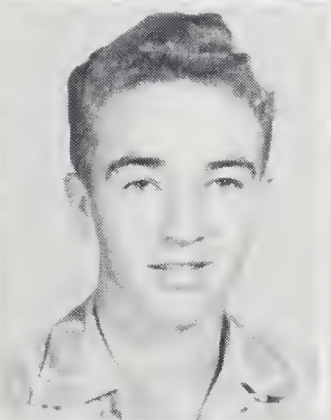
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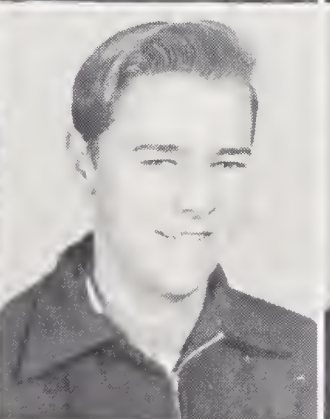
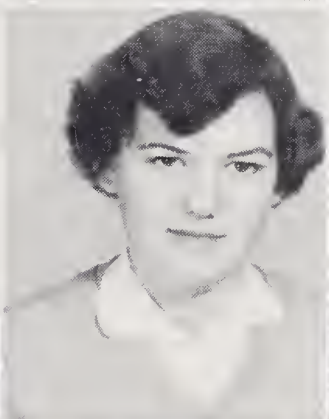
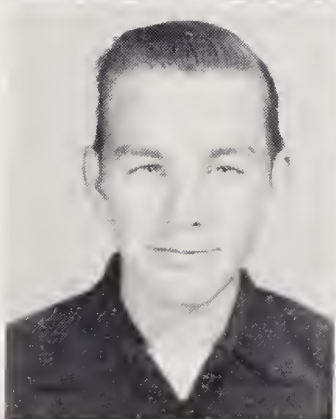
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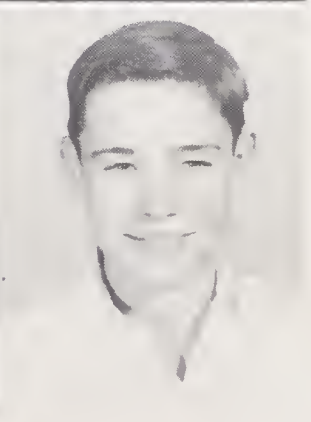
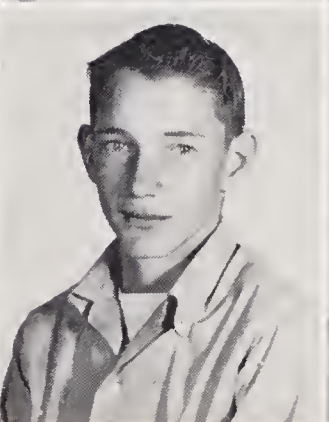
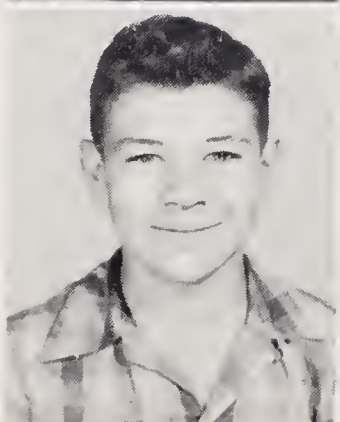
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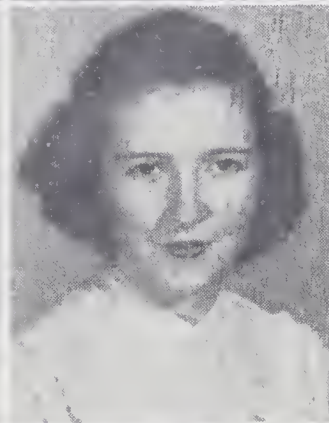
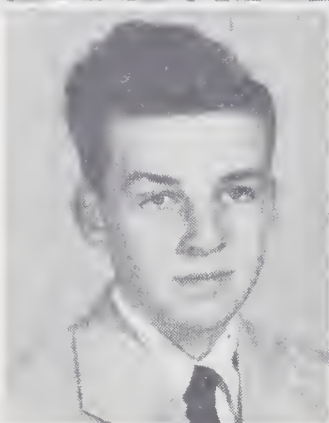
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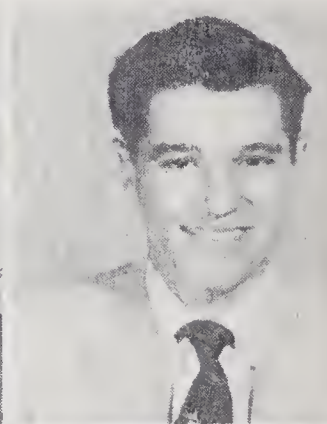
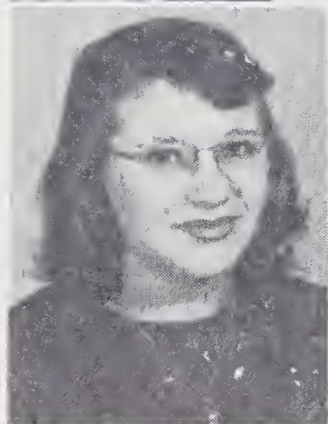


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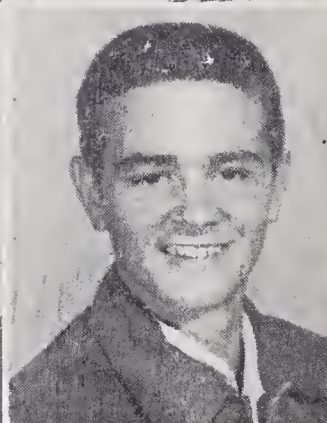
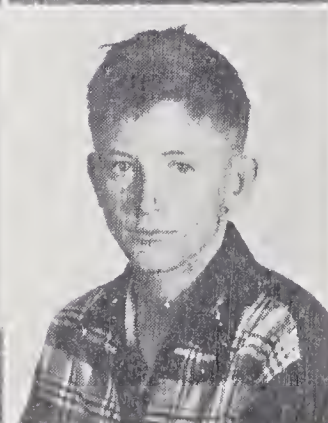


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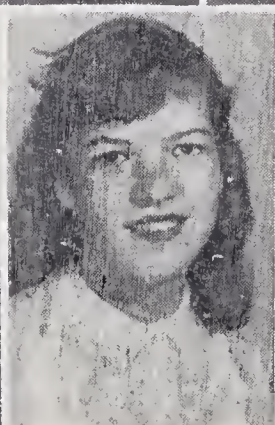
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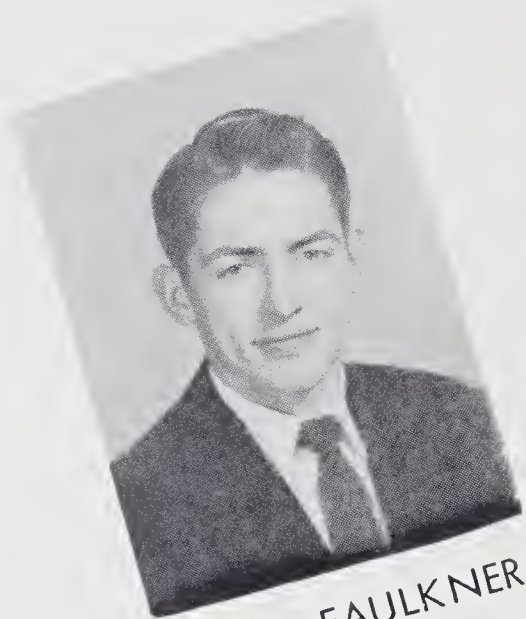
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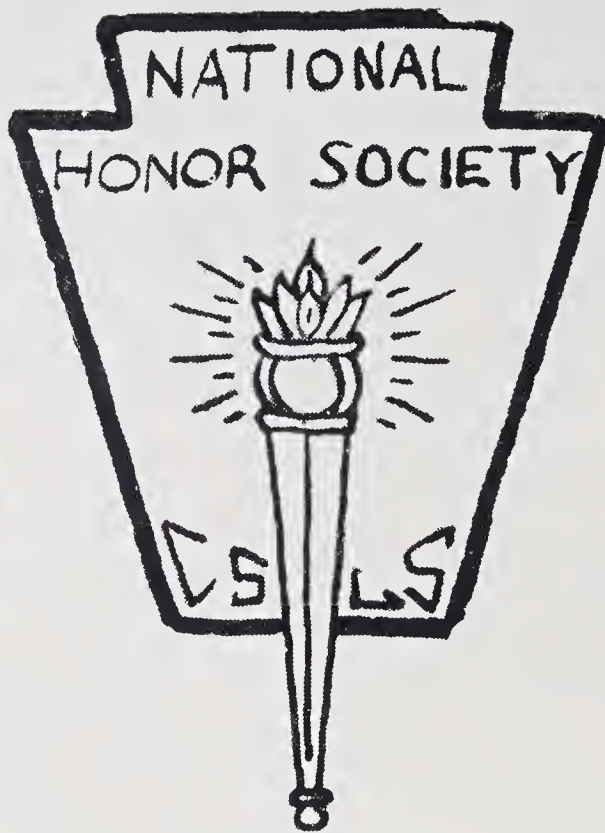
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	OPPONENTS	FRANKLIN
Mt. Airy	35	6
Jonesville	6	0
Yadkinville	20	13
Galax	6	12
Sparta	8	26
Booneville	13	6
Flat Rock	9	27
Millers Creek	0	21
Total	<u>77</u>	<u>111</u>



FOOTBALL SQUAD



GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Forwards of the girls' team are Jill Laughridge, Shirley Draughn, Iris Nichols, Pat Estes, Jackie Coe, and Rita Coe. The Guards are Nancy Hooker, Pat Jones, Dot Beasley, Elaine Bunker, Peggy Webb, and Pat Melton.



The Franklin girls and boys basketball season ended with the boys tied for first place in the conference with an 18-2 record. The girls placed third in the conference with a record of 14-6.

Fourteen of the top players will graduate from the two teams this year but this will still leave a number of good players on each team for next year.

As this book goes to press both teams are in semi-finals of the Surry County Tournament and the boys are still in the Boys' Class A State Tournament.

We would like to congratulate Mr. Hiatt on the fine coaching job he did for both teams.

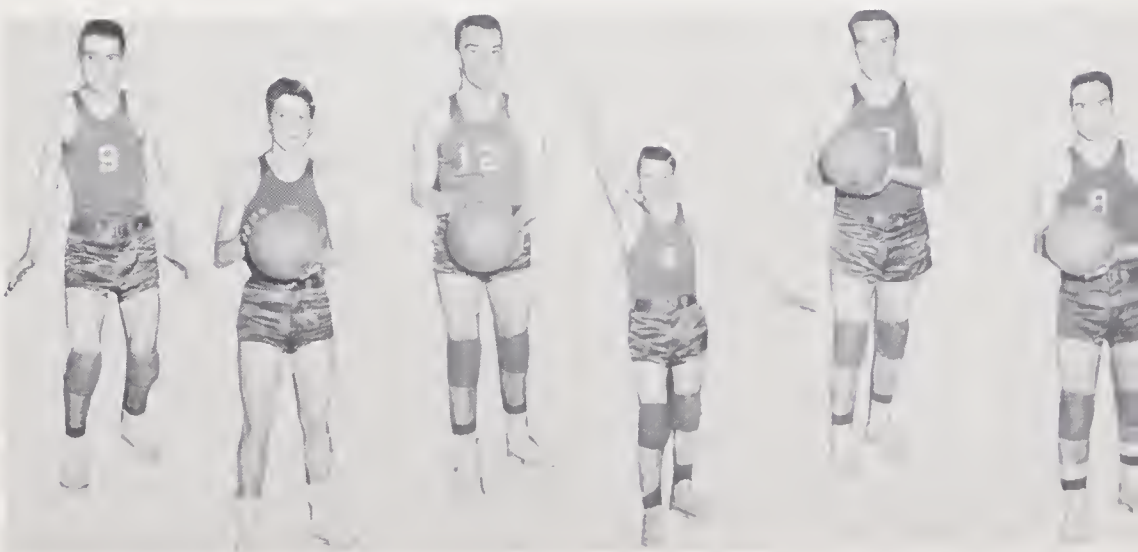


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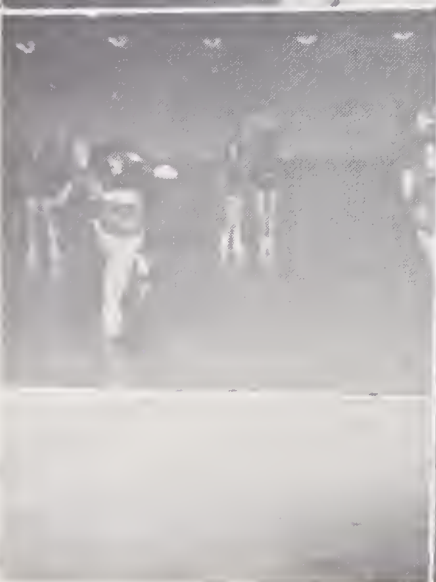
Members of the boys' teams are Max Hiatt, C. W. Faulkner, Donald Frye, Fred Wilson, Vance King, Kay Hiatt, Hampton Beamer, Robert Clifton, Rex O'Neal, Kenneth Horton, and Roger Shelton

The Scores of the games:

	Girls	Boys
Nestfield	42-49	61-33
White Plains	46-32	42-39
Low Gap	41-24	61-38
Jonesville	31-35	57-47
Flat Rock	52-35	64-31
Pilot Mountain	43-50	56-44
Yadkinville	47-49	67-54
Beulah	52-37	61-47
Dobson	48-38	63-42
Elkin	46-39	56-65
Beulah	37-38	64-39
Flat Rock	52-34	61-47
Mt. Airy	46-22	38-31
Mt. Park	54-28	57-65
Elkin	55-45	64-43
Copeland	52-45	60-47
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Shoals	44-34	96- ?
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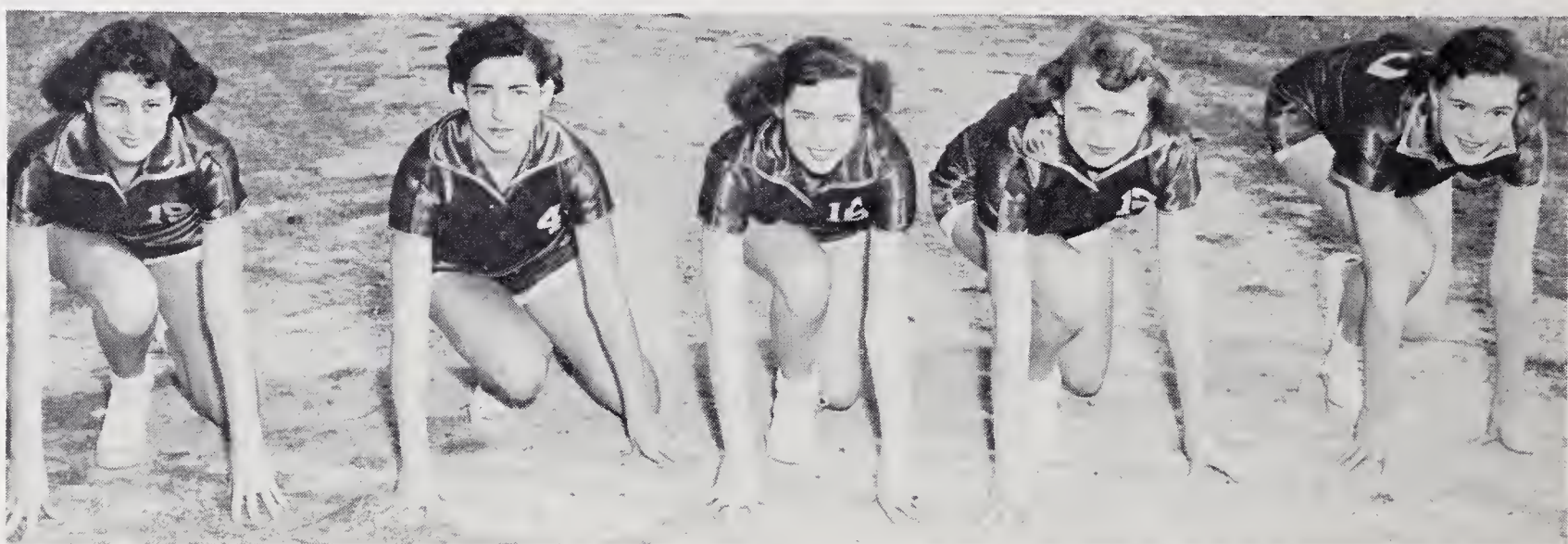
BASEBALL TEAM

Clockwise: 1. Rex O'Neal. 2. Oklas Harold. 3. Vance King. 4. C. W. Faulkner. 5. Max Hiatt. 6. Fred Wilson. 7. Bobby Hodge. 8. Mac Gwyn. 9. Roy Beasley. 10. Roger Shelton. 11. Oslar Handy. 12. Leroy Hawks. 13. Don Frye. 14. Robert Clifton. In Middle: Jack Folger, Coach.



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Front Row, Left to Right: Iris Nichols, Elaine Bunker, Shirley Draughn, Rita Coe, Jill Laughridge. Back Row: Vance King, Marvin Beasley, Tim Simpson, Kay Hiatt, Roger Shelton, Hampton Beamer, C. W. Faulkner, Rex O'Neal, Kenneth Horton.



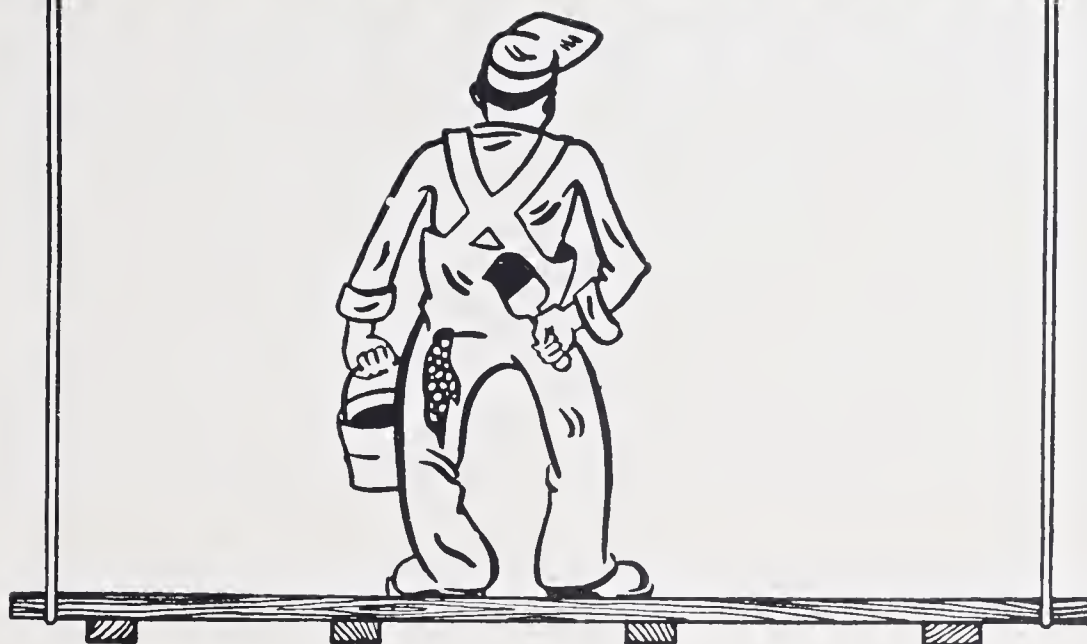
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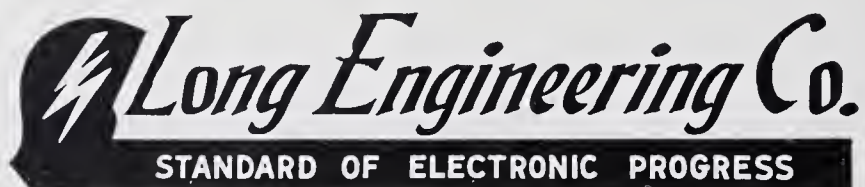
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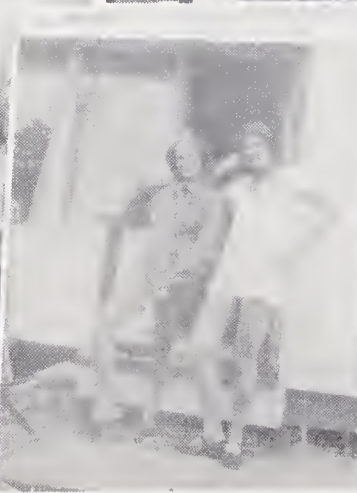
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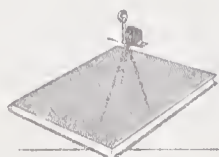
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